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LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A MAN WHO LEFT CANADA TO AVOID CHARGES FOR HAVING SEX with a MINOR IS NOW BEHIND BARS ON THE SUNCOAST. 37-YEAR OLD ERNIE HANKIN IS IN THE MANATEE COUNTY JAIL FOR STEALING AN ARIZONA MAN'S IDENTITY. FLORIDA HIGHWAY PATROL TROOPERS TRACKED HIM BY THE ADDRESS ON HIS DRIVER'S LICENSE. HE'LL FACE CHARGES HERE. NO WORD ON THE CHARGES IN CANADA. HANKINS LEFT THAT COUNTRY SHORTLY AFTER 19-91.

LENGTH-00:43 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

RED-HAIRED, FAIR-SKINNED PEOPLE GET SKIN CANCER MORE OFTEN THAN PEOPLE WITH BLACK HAIR. RESEARCHERS LOOKED AT DIFFERENT- COLORED HAIR CELLS IN A LAB TO FIND OUT WHY. WHAT THEY DISCOVERED IS THAT FAIR-SKINNED AND DARKER PEOPLE HAVE TINY CHEMICAL DIFFERENCES IN THEIR HAIR AND SKIN PIGMENTS -- BLONDES AND REDHEADS HAVE RED MELANIN PIGMENT WHILE DARK-HAIRED PEOPLE HAVE BLACK MELANIN. WHEN RESEARCHERS TESTED THESE TWO KINDS OF MELANIN WITH AN ULTRA-VIOLET LASER TO MIMIC THE SUN'S RAYS, THEY FOUND THAT THE RED PIGMENT WAS MORE REACTIVE. THE UV LIGHT PRODUCED MORE OF THE HARMFUL COMPOUNDS CALLED "FREE RADICALS" IN THE RED MELANIN --WHICH MAY EXPLAIN WHY FAIR-SKINNED PEOPLE SUFFER SKIN DAMAGE AND SKIN CANCER MORE EASILY. BUT EXPERTS AGREE -- NO MATTER WHAT YOUR HAIR COLOR, IT'S WISE TO SLATHER ON SUNBLOCK BEFORE HEADING OUTDOORS BECAUSE SUN EXPOSURE ALWAYS INCREASES YOUR SKIN CANCER RISK FOR ALL PEOPLE.

LENGTH-01:26 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

AS A DIABETIC, RUSSELL SMITH THOUGHT THE ONLY NUMBER HE NEEDED TO WORRY ABOUT WAS HIS BLOOD SUGAR. CHRONIC LEG PAIN TAUGHT HIM OTHERWISE... "MY LEG PAIN HAD GOTTEN SO BAD THAT IT WAS ACTUALLY KEEPING ME FROM LIVING THE LIFE THAT I WANTED TO ENJOY." VO: TO FIND OUT WHAT WAS CAUSING THE LEG PAIN. SMITH WENT TO A FREE LEGS FOR LIFE SCREENING WHERE AN ABI TEST REVEALED PERIPHERAL ARTERIAL DISEASE OR PAD - HARDENING OF THE ARTERIES IN HIS LEGS WHICH WAS RESTRICTING BLOOD FLOW TO HIS FEET, CAUSING HIS LEGS TO HURT. "PATIENTS NEED TO BE PROACTIVE FOR THE DIAGNOSIS OF PERIPHERAL ARTERIAL DISEASE BECAUSE KNOWING YOUR ANKLE BRACHIAL INDEX IS CAN SAVE YOU FROM AMPUTATION, HEART ATTACK, STROKE. "DURING NATIONAL VASCULAR DISEASE AWARENESS MONTH IN SEPTEMBER, INTERVENTIONAL RADIOLOGISTS ARE PROVIDING FREE ANKLE BRACHIAL INDEX TESTS THROUGH THEIR NATIONAL LEGS FOR LIFE PROGRAM. THE ABI TEST COMPARES THE BLOOD PRESSURE IN YOUR ARM TO THE BLOOD PRESSURE IN YOUR ANKLE. IF YOUR ANKLE'S PRESSURE IS LOWER, YOU MAY HAVE PAD. "PATIENTS WHO SHOULD GET SCREENED FOR PERIPHERAL ARTERIAL DISEASE ARE DIABETICS, SMOKERS, HIGH BLOOD CHOLESTEROL, HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE, PEOPLE WHO ARE OBESE OR LEAD A SEDENTARY LIFESTYLE. PEOPLE WITH A FAMILY HISTORY." OFTEN, ALL THAT IS NEEDED TO TREAT

PERIPHERAL ARTERIAL DISEASE IS AN EXERCISE PROGRAM, MEDICATION, OR QUITTING SMOKING. IN MORE ADVANCED CASES, NON-SURGICAL ANGIOPLASTY AND STENTING IN THE LEG CAN OPEN THE ARTERY, RESTORING BLOOD FLOW. DUE TO HIS ABI TEST RESULTS, SMITH'S PAD WAS DETECTED EARLY AND HE WAS ABLE TO GET TREATMENT QUICKLY. "IT'S BEEN QUITE AN EXPERIENCE GETTING MY MOBILITY AND MY HEALTH BACK AND BEING ABLE TO INTERACT WITH MY FAMILY AGAIN."

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

PEOPLE WHO EAT A MEDITERRANEAN DIET KNOW ABOUT THE BENEFITS OF OLIVE OIL, LET ALONE THE GREAT TASTE. NOW SCIENCE IS BACKING IT UP. RESEARCHERS HAVE FOUND A COMPOUND IN THE OIL THAT ACTS AS A NATURAL PAIN KILLER. IT'S CALLED OLEOCANTHAL. IT SUPPRESSES THE SAME PAIN PATHWAY AS IBUPROFEN. BUT DON'T STOCK UP ON THE EXTRA-VIRGIN OLIVE OIL. YOU WOULD NEED A QUARTER CUP TO EQUAL 10-PERCENT OF IBUPROFEN'S PROPERTIES.

LENGTH-00:32 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

THERE'S A NEW RESOURCE IN MANATEE COUNTY TO HELP PEOPLE FIGHTING A DEADLY DISEASE. IN PALMETTO THE GTP FOUNDATION FOR SICKLE CELL ANEMIA, OPENED THE DOORS OF IT'S NEW CENTER TODAY. IT WILL BE A PLACE WHERE ANYONE CAN LEARN HOW TO LIVE WITH SICKLE CELL ANEMIA. THIS IS A DREAM COME TRUE FOR FAYE BUTLER, A MOTHER WHO MADE IT HER MISSION TO LEARN EVERYTHING SHE CAN ABOUT THE DISEASE WHEN HER SON WAS FIRST DIAGNOSED. HE IS NOW 31. IN HONOR OF THIS EVENT, THE UNITED STATES POST OFFICE UNVEILED IT'S NEW STAMP DEDICATED TO SICKLE CELL ANEMIA RESERACH AND EDUCATION. YOU CAN BY THAT STAMP AT ANY US POST OFFICE.

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

THE TRIAL OF SADDAM HUSSEIN WILL BEGIN OCTOBER 19TH. AN IRAQI COURT MADE THE ANNOUNCEMENT THIS MORNING. THE FORMER IRAQI PRESIDENT WILL STAND TRIAL FOR THE 1982 MASSACRE OF SHIITE MUSLIMS IN A TOWN NORTH OF BAGHDAD AFTER A FAILED ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT. HUSSEIN COULD RECEIVE THE DEATH PENALTY IF CONVICTED.

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

A PORT CHARLOTTE MAN WHO CLAIMED HIS GIRLFRIEND HAD KILLED HERSELF.. IS NOW CHARGED WITH HER MURDER..MICHAEL CANFIELD IS ACCUSED OF SHOOTING 40-YEAR OLD CHRISTINE WERNETT TO DEATH EARLY YESTERDAY MORNING.. DEPUTIES FOUND HER DEAD AT HER PUNTA GORDA HOME.. WITH TWO BULLET WOUNDS TO THE HEAD.. CANFIELD ORIGINALLY CALLED 9-1-1 SAYING SHE HAD KILLED HERSELF.. DEPUTIES SAY HE LATER ADMITTED TO KILLING HER.. AND AN AUTOPSY REVEALED THE GUNSHOTS WERE *NOT* SELF INFLICTED..

NEW RESEARCH SUGGESTS THAT BREAKFAST MAY HELP WITH WEIGHT CONTROL, BUT ONLY IF YOU EAT CEREAL. OVER 2,000 GIRLS KEPT FOOD DIARIES SO RESEARCHERS COULD ANALYZE THEIR DIETS OVER A 10 YEAR PERIOD. WHAT THEY FOUND WAS SURPRISING -- BREAKFAST EATERS WERE LESS LIKELY TO BE OVERWEIGHT, BUT ONLY IF THEY ATE CEREAL. NON-CEREAL BREAKFASTS DID NOT HELP WITH WEIGHT CONTROL. AND CEREAL MAY BE GOOD FOR WOMEN OF ALL AGES -- A SECOND STUDY LOOKED AT OVER 4000 ADULTS AND FOUND THAT WOMEN WHO ATE CEREAL FOR BREAKFAST WERE 30 PER CENT LESS LIKELY TO BE OVERWEIGHT. CEREAL EATERS ALSO HAD MORE FIBER AND MORE CALCIUM IN THEIR DIETS, IN PART DUE TO THE NON-FAT OR LOW-FAT MILK POURED ON TOP. BUT THE BIGGEST BENEFIT TO EATING CEREAL MAY BE IN WHAT YOU ARE NOT EATING. CEREALS CONTAIN FEWER CALORIES AND LESS SATURATED FAT THAN DONUTS OR BACON AND EGGS. BUT EXPERTS SAY NOT ALL BREAKFAST CEREALS ARE EQUALLY BENEFICIAL -- YOU SHOULD LOOK FOR CEREALS HIGH IN FIBER AND LOW IN SUGAR FOR MAXIMUM BREAKFAST HEALTH BENEFITS.

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

STATE INVESTIGATORS SAY A NORTH FLORIDA MAN WHO SAID HE WAS RAISING MONEY FOR HURRICANE VICTIMS, REALLY WASN'T. THE STATE ATTORNEY FILED A CIVIL LAWSUIT AGAINST NASSAU COUNTY RESIDENT ROBERT MONEYHAN TODAY. MONEYHAN IS ACCUSED OF CREATING SEVERAL KATRINA-RELATED WEBSITES, NONE OF WHICH WAS A LEGITIMATE CHARITABLE OPERATION. HE CREATED KATRINAHELP.COM, KATRINADONATIONS.COM, KATRINARELIEF.COM AND KATRINARELIEFFUND.COM, AS WELL AS POSSIBLE OTHERS THE STATE ATTORNEY SAYS THEY ARE ALL BOGUS.

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

TWO TEENS.. WHO MAY BE BEHIND AS MANY AS 30 BURGLARIES IN THE NORTH PORT AREA.. ARE BEHIND BARS TONIGHT.. POLICE SAY SHAUN SLAMAN AND JOSEPH BOURCIER, BOTH 18, ADMITTED TO BREAKING INTO A NUMBER OF HOMES AND CARS.. THE PAIR LED AUTHORITIES TO THE NORTH PORT HOME OF ANOTHER MAN, 21 YEAR OLD JOSEPH SICHELSKI, WHERE THEY FOUND STOLEN WEAPONS. ALL THREE MEN FACE CHARGES..

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LENGTH-00:30 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

FOR WOMEN FIGHTING OFF BREAST CANCER, THERE IS A MORE ACCURATE TECHNIQUE TO PREDICT WHETHER IT WILL RETURN. DOCTORS CAN NOW TEST A WOMAN'S DEFENSIVE IMMUNE CELLS, WHICH PROTECTS THE BODY FROM INVADERS. CURRENT TESTS LOOK AT THE ATTACKING TUMOR CELLS TO SEE IF THE CANCER WILL COME BACK. BY STUDYING THE LYMPH NODES OF BREAST CANCER PATIENTS, RESEARCHERS FOUND THAT WOMEN WHO STAYED CANCER-FREE HAD SPECIFIC AND UNIQUE PATTERNS OF IMMUNE CELLS WITHIN THEIR NODES. 85 TO 90-PERCENT OF WOMEN WITH FAVORABLE PATTERNS WERE DISEASE FREE AFTER 5 YEARS. RESEARCHERS SAY THE TECHNIQUE CAN BE USED ON ALL WOMEN WITH BREAST CANCER. THAT'S MORE THAN 200-THOUSAND EVERY YEAR.

LENGTH-00:30 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:30

WORRY ABOUT STORM-RELATED DISEASE IN THE AREAS HIT BY KATRINA, IS SPREADING. SO MUCH SO, THE MILITARY IS CONSIDERING USING LOW-FLYING AIR FORCE PLANES TO SPRAY FOR MOSQUITOES IN NEW ORLEANS AND OTHER AREAS AFFECTED BY KATRINA. STANDING WATER COULD BECOME A BREEDING GROUND FOR THE INSECTS THAT CAN CARRY THE WEST NILE VIRUS. THE MAYOR OF NEW ORLEANS SAYS HE IS CONCERNED ABOUT THE SPREAD OF DISEASE AND HAS ASKED PRESIDENT BUSH FOR HELP. "I WANT TO MAKE SURE THESE DEAD BODIES OUT OF WATER... MOSQUITOES TO TAKE EFFECT, LARVAE HATCHING AS WE SPEAK, BITE DEAD PEOPLE, SPREAD DISEASE, NOT ONLY IN LOUISIANA, BUT ALL OVER THE SOUTH. I ASKED THE PRES, IF YOU CAN FIND CROP DUSTERS...TO SPRAY FOR MOSQUITOES, PLEASE GET THAT DONE." THE PLAN UNDER CONSIDERATION WOULD C-130 PLANES TO SPRAY FOR MOSQUITOES IN HIGH-RISK AREAS.

SEPTEMBER 7, 2005

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

FOR THOSE IF YOU TIRED DURING THE DAY BUT UNABLE TO SLEEP AT NIGHT... RESEARCHERS SAY THEY MAY KNOW THE REASON. IT COULD BE DEPRESSION OR DIABETES. RESEARCHERS STUDIED BOTH MEN AND WOMEN FROM AGES 20 TO 100 YEARS OLD AND FOUND THOSE BEING TREATED FOR DEPRESSION WERE THREE TIMES MORE LIKELY TO BE SLEEPY IN THE DAYTIME. THOSE WITH DIABETES WERE TWO TIMES MORE LIKELY. THE STUDY WAS PUBLISHED IN THIS MONTH'S JOURNAL OF CLINICAL ENDOCRINOLOGY AND METABOLISM.

IT'S BACK TO SCHOOL FOR SEVEN YEAR OLD NICOLE CONWAY...WHO'S EXCITED ABOUT WHAT SHE'S GOING TO WEAR ON HER FIRST DAY OF SECOND GRADE. "A SHORT SKIRT AND A SHORT SLEEVE SHIRT." BUT HER MOM KELLY KNOWS WHAT LIES AHEAD...AND UNLIKE HER NEW CLOTHES... IT'S NOT PRETTY. "KICKING AND SCREAMING A FEW DAYS AFTER SCHOOL STARTS AND UNFORTUNATELY HAVE PUT HER ON THE BUS THAT WAY, WHICH IS DIFFICULT, BUT I WALK AWAY, DON'T LET HER SEE MY TEARS, BUT THE TEARS FLOW. BUT I THINK IT'S JUST THE ATTACHMENT THAT IS THE PROBLEM." AND. DR. RONA NOVICK, A CHILD PSYCHOLOGIST, SAYS MOST CASES OF SCHOOL ANXIETY ARE IN FACT SEPARATION ANXIETY OR SOCIAL ISSUES...AND THEY CAN TAKE ON VERY REAL PHYSICAL COMPLAINTS. ANYTHING FROM TAKING LONG TO GET DRESSED IN THE MORNING TO OPEN REFUSAL AND WARFARE TO SOBBING, AND ONCE THE KIDS GET INTO THE SCHOOL BUILDING IT MAY MANIFEST ITSELF WITH SYMPTOMATIC SYMPTOMS, WANTING TO GO TO THE NURSE, HAVING A BELLY ACHE, HAVING A HEADACHE, FINDING BASICALLY ANY EXCUSE THAT CAN GET YOU OUT OF THE BUILDING." "WHEN SHE IS IN SCHOOL THE TUMMY ACHES BECOME A REAL PROBLEM FOR HER, I THINK THAT'S HER WAY OF SHOWING HOW SHE FEELS AND THE BURSES OFFICE DOES DEFINITELY HELP WITH THAT, THEY KNOW DON'T CALL MOMMY IN LESS IT'S AN EMERGENCY BECAUSE IF SHE DOES, IF I GO AND PICK HER UP, SHE KNOWS SHE CAN GET AWAY WITH THAT EVERY DAY." SO ONE KEY FOR PARENTS IS TO MAKE SURE YOUR CHILDREN KNOW THEY HAVE TO GO TO SCHOOL...BUT...EMPOWER THEM BY ENCOURAGING THEM TO TALK ABOUT THEIR EXCITEMENT AND FEAR, AND VALIDATE THEIR CONCERNS. "THERE IS A TENDENCY FOR PARENTS TO WANT TO MINIMIZE ANXIETY, TO MAKE EVERYTHING OKAY, SCHOOL WILL BE GREAT, DON'T WORRY, IT'S SILLY TO WORRY, THAT NOT ONLY DOESN'T HELP A CHILD, BUT IT MAKES THEM FEEL FOOLISH AND UNWILLING TO COME FORWARD AND TALK ABOUT IT." MAYBE EVEN DISCUSS IT WHILE PICKING OUT THOSE NEW CRAYONS AND NEW NOTEBOOK....SO THAT HOPEFULLY...THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR WILL BE WITHOUT THE OLD ANXIETIES.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

HEALTHY HANDS MEANS A HEALTHY FAMILY. RESEARCHERS AT HARVARD HAVE STUDIED THE USE OF HAND SANITIZER ON YOUR KIDS. OF THE 300 FAMILIES STUDIED, THEY FOUND THAT THOSE WHO USED THE STUFF CUT DOWN ON STOMACH VIRUSES AT HOME. RESEARCHERS FOUND THAT THE GEL KILLS THE MOST COMMON CAUSE OF GASTROINTESTINAL INFECTIONS IN A DAYCARE--THE ROTAVIRUS. BUT THERE IS ONE THING THEY FOUND SANITIZERS DON'T PREVENT...A COLD OR FLU.

LENGTH-00:38 ISSUE-EDUCATION 10 SHOW TIME-11:00

BUSINESS IS GOOD AT INDEPENTANT AUTO REPAIR. OWNER MICHAEL MILAN ONLY HAS ONE COMPLAINT. HE CAN'T RETIRE. I SHOULD BE PLAYING GOLF AND DOING WORK ORDERS BUT, I'M NOT BECAUSE I CANT FIND TECHS." HE SAYS AUTO REPAIR IS SO ADVANCED THESE DAYS. ITS HARD TO FIND QUALIFIED MECHANICS TO DO THE JOB. "WE ARE GETTING TECHS TODAY THAT CAN BARELY READ OR WRITE." WHILE

HE'S HAVING A HARD TIME TRYING TO FIND SOMEONE TO CLIMB UNDER THE HOOD. SARASOTA SCHOOL LEADERS THINK THEY HAVE THE ANSWER TO THE PROBLEM. THEY ARE PLANNING TO BUILD A NEW TECH SCHOOL AT THE CORNER OF BENEVA AND PROCTOR ROADS. "AND A LOT OF THE JOBS OUT THERE REQUIRE A HIGHER LEVEL OF TECH SKILLS AS WELL AS ACADEMIC SKILLS SO WE HAVE TO LOOK AT NEW WAYS TO PROVIDE THAT TYPE OF PROGRAM." BUT THE SHORTAGE OF QUALIFIED WORKERS GOES FAR BEYOND BRAKE JOBS AND OIL CHANGES. FROM HEALTH CARE TO NETWORK SPECIALISTS TO MANUFACTURING JOBS. SERVICE INDUSTRIES ACROSS THE BOARD ARE RUNNING INTO THE SAME PROBLEM... SHORTAGES IN QUALIFIED STAFF.

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LENGTH-01:02 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

IN THE DAYS BEFORE THE HURRICANE HIT, INTERNET FRAUD EXPERTS SAW SCAMMERS REGISTERING DOZENS OF WEBSITES WITH KATRINA IN THE NAME. WITHIN 2 DAYS AFTER THE HURRICANE HIT, THEY ACTUALLY PUT THEIR CONTENT UP. AND SENT E-MAILS OUT TO MILLIONS OF PEOPLE. BRIAN ROSS VO INCLUDING THIS E-MAIL, WHICH LOOKS LIKE A LEGITIMATE HURRICANE KATRINA PLEA FROM THE RED CROSS. IT WAS SENT TO MILLIONS OF AMERICANS LAST WEEKEND. THERE'S THE STANDARD CREDIT CARD INFORMATION FORM USED BY THE REAL RED CROSS, THE GRAPHICS AND TYPEFACE ARE THE SAME, AND THERE'S EVEN THE SAME SECURITY LOGO IN THE CORNER USED BY THE REAL RED CROSS.IT'S OUTRAGEOUS WHAT THEY ARE DOING TO THE AMERICAN CITIZENS, WHO ARE GIVING THEIR HARD-EARNED MONEY TO HELP PEOPLE WHO DESPERATELY NEED THEIR HELP. SO, THERE'S NO QUESTION IN MY MIND THESE ARE THE LOWEST OF THE LOW. BRIAN ROSS VO AN INGENIOUS FAKE, TRACED TO BRAZIL, WHO CAME UP WITH ONE FINAL TWIST TO FOOL CONTRIBUTORS. WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU CLICK ON "DONATE," THE INFORMATION THAT YOU'VE ENTERED ACTUALLY GETS SENT TO THE THIRD PARTY. AND THEN WHAT HAPPENS IS YOU GET REDIRECTED TO THE REAL RED CROSS WEBSITE, WHICH EVEN MAKES IT LOOK MORE REAL. BRIAN ROSS VO SOME 15 SIMILAR PHONY SITES HAVE BEEN TRACED TO KOREA, CHINA AND THE U.S. IN THE LAST FEW DAYS, AND THE RED CROSS HAS ASKED THE FBI TO INVESTIGATE. VERBATIM: ADVISORIES/RESTRICTIONS: THE WORK FORCE IS CHANGING THERE IS A HIGHER PERCENT OF JOBS THAT REQUIRE HIGHER LEVEL OF SKILLS AND TO PREPARE FOR THAT IT WILL TAKE MORE TRAINING... TRAINING THAT WE CAN DO SOME OF THAT DURING HIGH SCHOOL YEARS."ALTHOUGH THE NEW TECH SCHOOL WILL FOCUS ON TECH SKILLS. READING WRITING AND ARITHMETIC WILL STILL BE AT THE HEAD OF THE CLASS. "LETS BRING THEM ON AND HAVE THEM HAVE THERE ACADEMIC COURSE BUT THE ACADEMIC COURSE ARE ALSO WITH THAT CAREER IN MIND."

LENGTH-01:55 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

\$2.85. \$2.89. AS LOW AS \$2.80. THOSE ARE TYPICAL GAS PRICES IN TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA RIGHT NOW. SO WHY WAS A STATION A FEW BLOCKS AWAY, CHARGING \$3.19 A GALLON AND EVEN 'MORE' RIGHT AFTER KATRINA? THAT'S WHAT STATE INVESTIGATORS WANT TO KNOW. NATSOT: JERRY, INVESTIGATOR "I WANTED TO TALK TO YOU ABOUT THE PRICE OF GAS. WE'RE WITH THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE. IT'S ABOUT PRICE GOUGING." WE WENT ALONG AS INVESTIGATORS QUESTIONED THIS GAS STATION. MORE THAN 12-HUNDRED-50 CITIZENS HAVE CALLED THE ATTORNEY

GENERAL'S HOTLINE SINCE KATRINA TO VENT. EXTRA VOLUNTEERS ARE MANNING THE PHONES JUST TO HANDLE THE VOLUME. (NATSOT: CALL CTR) "I'M DEFINITELY SUBMITTING YOUR COMPLAINT HERE FOR PRICE GOUGING. \$5 A GALLON? DEFINITELY." AND FLORIDA ISN'T EVEN IN THE TOP 10 FOR GOUGING COMPLAINTS. THE PEOPLE OF THESE STATES ARE SCREAMING EVEN LOUDER AND MORE OFTEN, SAYING SOME BUSINESSES ARE TAKING ADVANTAGE. SOT: CHARLIE CRIST. FLORIDA ATTORNEY GENERAL "IT'S DISTURBING, IT BREAKS YOUR HEART, BUT SOME PEOPLE DO IT". SO HOW DO INVESTIGATORS FIGURE OUT IF IT'S A CASE OF SUPPLY AND DEMAND ...OR IF A GAS STATION IS 'ACTUALLY GOUGING' CONSUMERS? THEY RESEARCH HOW MUCH THE COMPANY ITSELF IS PAYING FOR GAS VERSUS HOW MUCH IT'S CHARGING CUSTOMERS --THEN COMPARE THE PROFIT MARGIN BEFORE AND AFTER THE DISASTER. NATSOT JERRY, INVESTIGATOR, QUESTIONING GAS STATION EMPLOYEE: WHEN WAS THE LAST TIME YOU WORKED BEFORE TODAY? EMPLOYEE: THE LAST TIME I WORKED WAS SUNDAY JERRY: WHAT WAS THE PRICE THEN? EMPLOYEE: \$3.41 THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY IS CRACKING DOWN TOO. VISITING 400 STATIONS IN THE PAST WEEK AND FINDING A VARIETY OF VIOLATIONS. (MOS, GUY BY VAN) "THEY' VE GOTTA CHARGE WHAT THEY'VE GOTTA PAY, BUT IF THEY'RE NOT HAVING TO PAY THAT MUCH, THAT'S NOT RIGHT." (MOS: WOMAN) "IT'S NOT FAIR TO EVERYBODY ELSE TO HAVE TO PAY EXTRA MONEY WHEN THERE WAS A NATURAL DISASTER. I MEAN IT'S TERRIBLE." CONSUMERS COMPLAIN ABOUT GAS STATIONS BECAUSE THAT'S WHAT THEY SEE. BUT IT'S QUITE POSSIBLE THAT PRICE HIKES HAPPEN HIGHER UP AT THE OIL COMPANIES AND REFINERIES THEN TRICKLE DOWN. (SOT: RAY CAVANEY, PRES. AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE) LET ME BE VERY CLEAR - API AND ITS MEMBER COMPANIES CONDEMN PRICE GOUGING . FLORIDA'S ATTORNEY GENERAL SAYS THERE'S NOT ENOUGH COMPETITION AMONG OIL WHOLESALERS AND THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT NEEDS TO STOP ALLOWING MERGERS. (SOT: CHARLIE CRIST) "SOME OF THESE COMPANIES MAKE ENORMOUS AMOUNTS OF MONEY. I'M A FREE MARKET GUY AND I BELIEVE IN PROFIT, BUT PROFITEERING AT A TIME OF SUFFERING IS NOT RIGHT." ONLY 14 STATES HAVE ANTI-GOUGING LAWS IN PLACE TO PREVENT THIS HEARTACHE. IRONICALLY, LOUISIANA PASSED ITS' LAW JUST LAST MONTH -- ONLY WEEKS BEFORE KATRINA.

LENGTH-00:32 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A FORMER SARASOTA BANK EXECUTIVE IS FACING CHILD MOLESTATION CHARGES. DEPUTIES FROM MANATEE COUNTY ARRESTED, 38-YEAR-OLD JEFFERY BOTSFORD LAST FRIDAY, HE WAS ONCE THE SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT OF THE BANK OF AMERICA IN SARASOTA. HE'S ACCUSED OF FONDLING A YOUNG GIRL IN BRADENTON FIVE YEARS AGO. ACCORDING TO SHERIFF'S REPORTS HIS EX-WIFE TOLD DEPUTIES THAT HE HAD BEEN SECRETLY VIDEO TAPING THEIR BABYSITTERS WHILE THEY WERE IN THE SHOWER. THE VIDEO TAPING HAD BEEN GOING ON SINCE 1993 AND THE BABYSITTERS WERE BETWEEN THE AGES OF 13 AND 21. THE GIRLS DID NOT KNOW IT. THE GIRL WHO WAS ALLEGEDLY FONDLED DID NOT REPORT IT BECAUSE HER STEP FATHER WORKED FOR BOTSFORD AND SHE WAS AFRAID HE WOULD LOSE HIS JOB.

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

THE F-B-I HOPES THIS SURVEILLANCE VIDEO FROM ST. AUGUSTINE CAN HELP THEM CATCH SOME VIOLENT ARMED ROBBERS. THE SUSPECTS ARE WANTED IN 50 DIFFERENT ROBBERIES. THEY FLASH GUNS, JUMP OVER THE COUNTER AND ATTACK

WHOEVER IS THERE. THEY'VE HIT IN CITIES ALL ACROSS FLORIDA, ALABAMA, NORTH CAROLINA AND GEORGIA...TARGETING HOTELS AND CASH ADVANCE BUSINESSES. HERE'S A COMPOSITE SKETCH OF TWO OF THE SUSPECTS. THERE'S A 5 THOUSAND DOLLAR REWARD FOR INFORMATION LEADING TO THEIR ARREST. SO FAR, AUTHORITIES SAY THEY HAVEN'T HIT BUSINESSES ON THE SUNCOAST. BUT IF YOU DO SEE THEM, CALL 911

LENGTH-00:46 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

MEET REEGHAN AND GINX. THEY SEEM LIKE TWO HAPPY HEALTHY DOGS. BUT THIS IS ALL THEIR MEDICATION. "ONE PUP HAS HAD FOUR SURGERIES IN THE FIRST YEAR DUE TO OVER BREEDING. JOINT PROBLEM SHE HAS PINS IN HER JOINTS KNEE HAVE SCREWS."AND ALTHOUGH SHE HAS SPENT THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS ON MEDICINE AND SURGERY FOR HER PETS BRENDA SAYS SHE IS OK. BECAUSE HER DOGS ARE ALIVE. SOME OF THESE PEOPLE AREN'T AS LUCKY. "MOST COST A LOT OF MONEY AND THEY WOUND INTO OUR HEARTS AND WHEN THIS HAPPENED ITS DEVASTATE FOR OWNER AND THE PUPPIES." EVERYONE IN THIS ROOM BOUGHT THEIR BEST FRIENDS FROM THE SAME PLACE. THE PUPPY SHOPPE. THEY ALL THOUGHT THEY WERE GETTING STRONG, HEALTHY PURE BRED DOGS, BUT THEY SAY ALL THEY GOT WAS AN UNHEALTHY MIX. "WE'VE HAD THE DEATH OF PUPPIES CRYONIC ILL PUPPIES PUPPIES THAT WILL FOREVER BE INJURED BECAUSE OF THIS WOMEN ACTIONS." NOW THE STATE OF FLORIDA IS PROSECUTING THE SHOPS OWNER. JANICE LEE CABEZAS. SHE'S CHARGED WITH A FIRST DEGREE FELONY. SCHEMING TO DEFRAUD. BUT ACCORDING TO MARY ELLEN WHITEHEAD, THE ORGANIZER OF TODAY'S GET-TOGETHER, THE STATE WANTS TO PLEA BARGAIN. OFFERING CABEZAS FIVE YEARS SUPERVISED PROBATION... AND A FIVE YEAR BAN FROM THE PET INDUSTRY. BUT THESE PET LOVERS SAY THAT'S NOT ENOUGH. AND THEY ARE BANDING TOGETHER. FIGHTING FOR MORE. FIVE MONTH HERE OR THERE MARTHA STEWART GOT MORE THEN THIS WOMEN GOING TO GET AND ITS NOT FAIR MARTHA DIDN'T KILL ANYONE THIS LADY KILLED PUPPIES "THEY NEED TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS SHE HAD PROBLEMS FOR YEARS AND SOMETHING NEEDS TO BE DONE.""SHE COULD AND SHOULD GET JAIL OR PRISON TIME."THEY'VE HIRED ATTORNEY KEVIN STAAS TO REPRESENT THEM. AND HE SAYS HE WILL TAKE THE CASE FOR FREE."I THINK ITS TRAGIC AND THE IMPACT ON THE FAMILIES THAT HAVE BOUGHT RAISED AND LOVED THESE PETS." BUT THE PET OWNERS DON'T WANT MONEY. THEY WANT JUSTICE. THAT'S WHY THEY'RE SPEAKING UP...

LENGTH-00:44 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

DOCTORS IN TRAINING HAVE TO TOILLONGAND HARD. FOR MANY,A TYPICAL WEEK MEANSLOGGING INCLOSE TO 80 HOURS - ALMOST DOUBLEWHAT THE REST OF US ARE WORKING. BUT WE ALL MAY BE PAYING THE PRICE. RESEARCHERS REPORT TODAY THAT AN OVER-WORKED DOCTOR IS JUST AS IMPAIRED AS SOMEONE WHO IS INTOXICATED. WHEN TESTED ON DRIVING SIMULATORS, DOCTORS WHO PUT IN LONG HOURS HAD PROBLEMS STAYING ON THE ROAD, KEEPING IN THEIR LANE, AND MAINTAINING A CONSTANT SPEED. IN FACT, EXHAUSTEDDOCTORS DID JUST AS POORLY ON THE DRIVING TESTSASPEOPLEWITH A BLOOD ALCOHOL LEVEL BETWEEN .04 AND .05- THAT'S THE EQUIVALENT OF HAVING2 TO 4 COCKTAILS. THEYALSO HAD TROUBLE PAYING ATTENTION WHEN THEY TRIED TO PERFORM SIMPLE COMPUTERTASKS.PERHAPS MOST CONCERNING - THE TIRED DOCTORS DIDN'T

EVEN REALIZE THEY WERE IMPAIRED. RESEARCHERS FEAR THAT THE SLEEPY DOCS ARE NOT ONLY A RISK ON THE ROAD- BUT MAY BE MORE LIKELY TO MAKE BAD DECISIONS WHILE TAKING CARE OF PATIENTS.

SEPTEMBER 9, 2005

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-EDUCATION 19 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THE STATE OF FLORIDA WANTS TO MAKE MAKE SURE SCHOOLS CAN KEEP UP WITH GROWTH IN THE STATE. SARASOTA COUNTY WILL PLAY A PART. THE COUNTY HAS BEEN SELECTED BY THE GOVERNOR TO TEST A NEW PROGRAM. RIGHT NOW SCHOOLS AROUND THE STATE ARE NOT REQUIRED TO MAKE SURE SCHOOLS CAN HANDLE GROWTH. BUT THIS NEW PROGRAM WILL TEST A RULE THAT WOULD MAKE IT MANDATORY. ALONG WITH SARASOTA COUNTY, HILLSBOROUGH, INDIAN RIVER, LAKE COUNTY, ST. JOHNS AND WALTON COUNTY WERE SELECTED TO TRY OUT THE NEW PLAN.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-EDUCATION 10 SHOW TIME-12:00

MINORITY FAMILIES ON THE SUNCOAST GET A LITTLE HELP LEARNING ABOUT GETTING READY FOR COLLEGE. ABOUT TWO-HUNDRED PEOPLE ATTENDED AN INFORMATION SESSION YESTERDAY. THE ADMISSIONS DEPARTMENT AT NEW COLLEGE WAS THERE, TO TELL FUTURE STUDENTS WHAT CLASSES THEY NEED TO TAKE IN HIGH SCHOOL AND HOW THE ADMISSIONS PROCESS WORKS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION.

LENGTH-00:46 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

AN 18-YEAR STUDY OF OVER SIX THOUSAND WOMEN IN COPENHAGEN FINDS THAT TENSION, NERVOUSNESS, ANXIETY, AND SLEEPLESSNESS ARE LINKED WITH LESS BREAST CANCER CASES. HIGHLY-STRESSED WOMEN HAD A 40 PER CENT LOWER CHANCE OF GETTING THE CANCER - AND THE MORE STRESS THE BETTER. CANCER RISK DROPPED 8 PER CENT FOR EVERY STRESS POINT WOMEN REACHED ON A 6 POINT SCALE. THEY SPECULATE THAT STRESS MAY REDUCE CANCER BY ALTERING HORMONE LEVELS. CHRONIC STRESS IS BELIEVED TO LOWER BLOOD LEVELS OF THE FEMALE HORMONE ESTROGEN, A KNOWN STIMULANT FOR MANY BREAST CANCERS. THIS NEW STUDY CONFLICTS WITH PREVIOUS FINDINGS THAT HAVE SHOWN STRESS HAD NO RISK EFFECT, OR MAY EVEN INCREASE A WOMAN'S FOR CANCER. THE AUTHORS SAY THESE CONFLICTING RESULTS MIGHT BE EXPLAINED BY THE DIFFERENT TYPES OF STRESS MEASURED. DESPITE THESE FINDINGS, THE RESEARCHERS WARN THAT LONG TERM LIFE STRESSES SHOULD NOT BE CONSIDERED HEALTHY. ANXIETY IS STILL A SIGNIFICANT PROBLEM FOR OTHER ILLNESSES - LIKE HEART DISEASE.

LENGTH-00:14 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

A GRAVE ROBBER IS ON THE LOOSE IN CHARLOTTE COUNTY. DEPUTIES SAY SOMETIME LAST NIGHT, SOMEONE TOOK A SQUARE MARBLE SLAB FROM THE FRONT OF A CRYPT IN THE REST LAWN MEMORIAL GARDENS, TOOK THE CASKET OUT AND PRIED IT OPEN. DETECTIVES SAY NOTHING INSIDE THE COFFIN LOOKS LIKE IT WAS DISTURBED.

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LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

SARASOTA RESIDENTS TIRED OF WATCHING CRIME HAPPEN IN THEIR COMMUNITY CAN SPEAK OUT TONIGHT. THE CITY OF SARASOTA'S NEWTOWN REDEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE IS STARTING OPERATION "ENOUGH IS ENOUGH." THE GROUP WANTS TO GET RID OF DRUGS AND CRIME IN THE NEWTOWN COMMUNITY. TONIGHT'S MEETING WILL HELP DEVELOP A STRATEGY FOR NEIGHBORHOOD RESIDENTS TO HELP DO THAT.

LENGTH-00:43 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

WHO CAN RESIST THEM, THEY'RE CUTE, SWEET AND NOW GOOD FOR YOUR TEETH. ((11 YEAR OLD, ANTONIO BARCHETTA SAY, MY MOM ALWAYS TOLD ME THOSE CANDIES WERE GROSS AND BAD FOR ME)) I KNOW IT'S COUNTER INTUITIVE -CONTRARY TO WHAT WE'VE ALWAYS BELIEVED - ((LEAD RESEARCHER PETER MILGROM SAYS, WE'RE TRYING TO FIND A WAY TO GIVE KIDS IN PARTICULAR SOMETHING IN THEIR DIET THAT WOULD PREVENT TOOTH DECAY.)) TO DO THAT, UW DENTAL PROFESSOR PETER MILGROM ASKED A CALIFORNIA CANDY MAKER TO ADD XYLITOL - A NATURALLY OCCURING SUGAR TO GUMMI BEARS, XYLITOL MAY SOUND FAMILIAR - IT'S ALREADY BEING USED IN SOME SUGARLESS CHEWING GUMS. ((MILGROM SAYS, WE DONT' LET KIDS CHEW GUM AT SCHOOL AND DON'T LET LITTLE KIDS CHEW GUM CAUSE THEY MIGHT CHOKE.)) SO MILGROM SAYS HIS CHALLENGE BECAME - HOW TO GET XYLITOL IN A CHILD'S DIET? IT GOT LAURIE ROSSNAGEL'S ATTENTION. ((LAURIE ROSSENAGEL SAYS, THEY HAD THIS CUTE LITTLE AD WITH A GUMMI BEAR ON IT, SO I SIGNED UP.)) ROSSNAGEL SIGNED UP FOR MILGROM'S CLINICAL STUDY TO HELP DETERMINE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF XYLITOL GUMMI BEARS. AND THEYR'E LOOKING FOR MORE PEOPLE WILLING TO TRY THEIR GUMMI BEARS. ((LAURIE SAYS, WHEN I WAS A KID I HAD CAVIITES AND I HATED GOING TO THE DENTIST, I REMEMBER THAT VIVIDLY. IF THIS STUDY CAN HELP OTHER KIDS THEN I'LL ALL FOR HELPING.)) XYLITOL WORKS LIKE BRUSHING YOUR TEETH. IT REDUCES THE

AMOUNT OF BACTERIA THAT CAUSES TOOTH DECAY BY MAKING THE BACTERIA LESS LIKELY TO STICK TO YOUR TEETH. RIGHT NOW, YOU CAN'T BUY GUMMI BEARS WITH XYLITOL, THE ONLY PLACE YOU CAN FIND THEM IS IN THE LAB AT THE UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON. ((ANTONIO SAYS, I DON'T REALLY FLOSS MY TEETH, MY MOM ALWAYS TELL ME TO, AND SO DOES MY DENTIST, SO I COULD JUST EAT THAT EVERY MORNING.

LENGTH-01:44 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

HIS NICKNAME IS "LUCKY." AND 58-YEAR-OLD CHARLES STEWART KNOWS HE IS. HE MADE IT OUT OF NEW ORLEANS ALIVE. (NAT - PRAYING) BUT EVEN PRAYERS WITH VOLUNTEERS DON'T ERASE THE SCENES OF BODIES FLOATING IN THE STREETS...AND FEARS HIS MISSING SON. DAUGHTER AND SISTER MAY BE AMONG THEM. "I'VE BEEN DOING A LOT OF RUNNING KEEPING MY MIND OCCUPIED SO I WON'T THINK ON THESE KINDS OF THINGS, YOU KNOW. BUT LIKE I SAID, IT'S HARD." RICK DANENHOWER USED TO SELL TIMESHARES IN NEW ORLEANS. HE'S LOST EVERYTHING. "I JUST FEEL HELPLESS. I JUST DON'T KNOW WHERE TO GO NEXT. AND I'M 60 YEARS OLD AND YOU WOULD THINK A BIG BOY LIKE ME WOULD KNOW. BUT YOU CAN'T IMAGINE WHAT IT'S LIKE." EXPERTS FEAR THE OVERWHELMING, UNIMAGINEABLE FEELINGS OF GRIEF, LOSS AND HOPELESSNESS COULD LEAD TO A MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS AMONG EVACUEES. SO EVERY SHELTER HAS TEAMS OF MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS LIKE PSYCHIATRIST STEVE STEURY AT THE WASHINGTON, D-C ARMORY. "AS TIME WEARS ON AND THEY ARE CONFRONTING THE FACT THAT THEY MAY NOT BE ABLE TO GO HOME FOR A LONG TIME, PEOPLE ARE GETTING SO MUCH MORE DISTRESSED. // BUT THIS IS A VERY RESILIENT GROUP. AND MANY PEOPLE HAVE ALREADY FOUND WAYS TO TAKE CARE OF THEMSELVES." "AS YOU CAN SEE WE'RE A LITTLE OVERWHELMED. BUT IF YOU'RE PATIENT A CASE WORKER WILL HELP YOU AS SOON AS THEY POSSIBLY CAN." AT THE RED CROSS HEADQUARTERS IN PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND, EVACUEES ARE POURING IN AT THE RATE OF 200 A DAY. PSYCHOTHERAPIST JANET KUHN LISTENS TO THEM, CRIES WITH THEM, BUT THEN HELPS THEM FOCUS. "PEOPLE NEED NOT TO GET IMMERSED IN THE SADNESS AND THE SORROW THAT THEY'RE DEALING WITH. THEY NEED TO KEEP THEIR HEADS WORKING SO THEY CAN TAKE CARE OF THEMSELVES. AND GET THEMSELVES THE THINGS THAT THEY NEED TO GET SOME KIND OF STABILITY IN THEIR LIVES." THE MENTAL HEALTH OF THE TENS OF THOUSANDS OF DISPLACED CHILDREN IS A SPECIAL CONCERN. EXPERTS SAY THEY TAKE THEIR CUES FROM THE ADULTS AROUND THEM. AND THAT ROUTINES LIKE SCHOOL ARE VITAL IN THEIR HEALING. "WE DO KNOW THAT WE CAN CREATE SCHOOL ENVIRONMENTS WHERE THERE'S CARING AND CONNECTIVENESS. // KIDS DO HAVE, WITH SUPPORT, THE CAPACITY TO BOUNCE BACK. WITHOUT SUPPORTS IN SITUATIONS LIKE THIS, IT DOES RUN THE RISK OF SINKING THEM." FRAGILE VESSELS ALL... TRYING MENTALLY, EMOTIONALLY TO NAVIGATE THROUGH A STRANGE NEW WORLD.

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

MORE CHARGES FOR AN ACCUSED CAR BURGLAR. KYLE PHILMAN'S ALREADY ACCUSED OF BREAKING INTO 85 CARS.. NOW, CHARLOTTE COUNTY INVESTIGATORS HAVE ADDED ANOTHER TWO DOZEN CHARGES.. THINGS LIKE GRANT THEFT, BURGLARY, AND ARMED BURGLARY... AND DEPUTIES SAY *EVEN MORE* COULD BE ON THE WAY. PHILMAN'S BROTHER AND ANOTHER FRIEND HAVE ALSO BEEN ARRESTED IN THE BREAK-IN'S.

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

A HOMELESS MAN FACES ATTEMPTED MURDER CHARGES.. AFTER POLICE SAY HE STABBED TWO MEN, OVER A BICYCLE. ROGER TATE FACES TWO COUNTS OF ATTEMPTED MURDER.. IT HAPPENED SATURDAY AFTERNOON ALONG UNIVERSITY PARKWAY..BOTH VICTIMS WERE FLOWN TO BAYFRONT MEDICAL CENTER IN ST. PETE. ONE'S IN CRITICAL CONDITION, THE OTHER'S IN SERIOUS CONDITION.

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

OHIO POLICE FIND ELEVEN DISABLED CHILDREN LOCKED IN CAGES INSIDE THEIR HOME.. THEY SAY THE CAGES WERE RIGGED WITH ALARMS. THE CHILDREN RANGE IN AGE FROM ONE TO 14 AND HAD NO BLANKETS OR PILLOWS. NO CHARGES HAVE BEEN FILED AGAINST THE CHILDREN'S ADOPTIVE PARENTS.. THE TWO DENY THEY ABUSED OR NEGLECTED THE KIDS, WHO HAVE BEEN PUT IN FOSTER HOMES. THERE'S NO WORD ON THEIR HEALTH..

LENGTH00:20 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS IS A DEGENERATING DISEASE OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEMS THAT AFFECTS ABOUT FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND AMERICANS-- OVER TWO THIRDS OF WHOM ARE WOMEN. WHILE RELATIVELY LITTLE IS KNOWN ABOUT THE DISEASES CAUSES AND RISKS, NEW RESEARCH SHEDS SOME LIGHT ON WHO GETS MS, AND WHEN. A STUDY COMPARING WOMEN WHO DEVELOPED MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS TO THOSE WHO DID NOT REPORTS THAT THE RATE OF M-S OVER A THREE YEAR PERIOD WAS FORTY PERCENT LOWER FOR BIRTH CONTROL PILL USERS THAN NON-PILL-USERS. THEY ALSO NOTED THAT WOMEN WERE LESS LIKELY TO BE DIAGNOSED WITH MS WHILE THEY WERE PREGNANT, AND MORE LIKELY TO START TO SHOW SIGNS OF THE DISEASE IN THE SIX MONTHS AFTER A PREGNANCY. BECAUSE OF THESE VARIATIONS THE AUTHORS SPECULATE THAT THE FLUCTUATION OF FEMALE HORMONES MAY BE LINKED TO MS. THEY THEORIZE THAT INCREASED ESTROGEN IN THE BODY EITHER NATURALLY DURING PREGNANCY OR IN THE FORM OF ORAL CONTRACEPTIVES - MIGHT DELAY THE ONSET OF THE DISEASE.

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LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THE MAN CHARGED WITH PLOTTING TO KIDNAP DAVID LETTERMAN'S SON WILL DO PRISON TIME. NOT ON THOSE CHARGES. KELLY FRANK WAS ONCE A PAINTER AT LETTERMAN'S MONTANA RANCH. HE CUT A DEAL WITH PROSECUTORS AND WILL SERVE 10 YEARS IN PRISON FOR OVERCHARGING LETTERMAN FOR THE PAINT JOB. PROSECUTORS IN TURN DROPPED THE KIDNAPPING PLOT CHARGES. OFFICERS ARRESTED HIM IN MARCH AND SAID HE INTENDED TO KIDNAP LETTERMAN'S SON AND NANNY AND HOLD THEM FOR RANSOM.

A HIGH SPEED CHASE THROUGH DOWNTOWN SARASOTA THIS MORNING ENDS WITH AN ARREST. THE DRIVER OF THIS SILVER CAMARO LED POLICE ON A CHASE FROM FRUITVILLE ROAD, NORTH ON U-S 301 INTO THIS NEIGHBORHOOD NEAR DIXIE STREET. POLICE SAY THE WOMAN WAS DRIVING MORE THAN 70 MILES AN HOUR ON FRUITVILLE AND WOULDN'T STOP WHEN THEY TRIED TO PULL HER OVER. OFFICERS SAY SHE SHOUTED THAT SHE WAS LATE TO COURT. AND WHEN THEY WERE STOPPED IN TRAFFIC, THEY SAY SHE BACKED INTO THE POLICE MOTORCYCLE AND TOOK OFF. "SHE WAS RUNNING STOP SIGNS AND RED LIGHTS. IT WAS AMAZING SHE DIDN'T HIT SOMEONE AT ONE OF THOSE INTERSECTIONS. THE WOMAN EVENTUALLY STOPPED THE CAR NEAR DIXIE STREET AND TOOK OFF ON FOOT. POLICE CAUGHT UP WITH HER AND SHE'LL FACE SEVERAL CHARGES. NO ONE WAS INJURED.

LENGTH-00:27 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A PORT CHARLOTTE MAN FACING KIDNAPPING AND SEXUAL BATTERY CHARGES WILL UNDERGO A MENTAL EVALUATION BEFORE STANDING TRIAL. DEPUTIES ARRESTED 31-YEAR-OLD ERICK THOMAS KNAPP LAST MAY FOR TAKING TWO YOUNG GIRLS OUT OF THEIR HOME WHILE THEIR PARENTS WERE SLEEPING, THEN ASSAULTING THEM. YESTERDAY KNAPP'S ATTORNEY ASKED A JUDGE FOR MORE TIME IN ORDER TO GET THE MENTAL HEALTH TESTS COMPLETED. AFTER HIS SUNCOAST ARREST, POLICE FROM FLORIDA'S PANHANDLE QUESTIONED KNAPP IN CONNECTION WITH A STRING OF SIMILIAR CRIMES. HE WAS NEVER CHARGED WITH ANY OF THOSE CRIMES.

LENGTH-00:37 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

AN IMPORTANT CLUE TO TWO DIFFERENT LIFE-THREATENING HEART PROBLEMS. RESEARCHERS AT YALE FOUND THAT PEOPLE WITH AORTIC ANEURYSMS, A DANGEROUS ENLARGEMENT OF THE HEART'S MAJOR ARTERY... ARE PROTECTED AGAINST HARDENING OF THE ARTERIES. IT'S THE BIGGEST CAUSE OF HEART DISEASE. BUT PEOPLE WITH AORTIC ANEURYSMS HAVE CLEANER ARTERIES WITH LITTLE PLAQUE BUILD-UP. WE INTEND TO FIND THE GENE THAT CAUSES THESE ANEURYSMS AND PERHAPS WE'LL ALSO DISCOVER THAT GENE IS INVOLVED IN PROTECTING THE PATIENT AGAINST ARTERIOSCLEROSIS." THE RESEARCHERS SAY THEY WILL NOW NARROW DOWN WHAT GENES MAY PREDISPOSE PEOPLE TO ANEURYSMS. BUT REMEMBER, AORTIC ANEURYSMS ARE ALSO VERY DANGEROUS.

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

WATCHING "AMERICA'S MOST WANTED" HIT CLOSE TO HOME FOR ONE NEW YORK MAN. NICOLAS CERINO AND HIS BROTHER WERE ON THE COUCH WATCHING T-V WHEN MARK CERINO'S PICTURE CAME ACROSS AS ONE OF THE MOST WANTED. MARK CERINO IS A CONTRACTOR WANTED FOR ALLEGEDLY SCAMMING ELDERLY RESIDENTS IN BREVARD COUNTY, ALONG FLORIDA'S EAST COAST. RIGHT AFTER THE SHOW AIRED, SOMEONE CALLED IN A TIP THAT CERINO WAS IN NEW YORK. HE'S

CHARGED WITH CONTRACTING WITHOUT A LICENSE DURING A STATE OF EMERGENCY.

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LENGTH-00:36 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

IT COULD BE AN IMPORTANT CLUE TO TWO DIFFERENT LIFE-THREATENING HEART PROBLEMS. RESEARCHERS REPORT THAT PEOPLE WITH ANEURYSMS ARE SOMEHOW PROTECTED AGAINST AMERICA'S BIGGEST KILLER-- HARDENING OF THE ARTERIES. HEART SURGEONS AT YALE UNIVERSITY HAVE DISCOVERED THAT PATIENTS WITH AORTIC ANEURYSMS HAVE A TENDENCY TO HAVE CLEAN CORONARY ARTERIES. THE RESEARCHERS COMPARED CHEST CAT-SCANS OF 64 ANEURYSM PATIENTS WITH THOSE OF A GROUP OF PEOPLE OF THE SAME AGE AND SEX. THEY FOUND THAT THE ANEURYSM GROUP HAD SIGNIFICANTLY LESS HARDENING OF THE ARTERIES. SCIENTISTS THINK GENETICS, IS THE MOST LIKELY EXPLANATION. RESEARCHERS ARE NOW CLOSING IN ON WHICH GENES MAY PREDISPOSE PEOPLE TO ANEURYSMS. THE STUDY IS PUBLISHED IN THE JOURNAL "CHEST."

LENGTH-00:42 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

A THIRTY YEAR ANALYSIS OF THE LEADING SIX CAUSES OF DEATH IN THE UNITED STATES FINDS THAT AMERICANS ARE LIVING SIGNIFICANTLY LONGER - WITH THE DEATH RATE DROPPING AN IMPRESSIVE 32% OVER THE PAST THREE DECADES. BETWEEN 1970 AND 2002, HEART DISEASE AND STROKE SAW THE GREATEST DECREASES WHICH SCIENTISTS ATTRIBUTE TO BETTER DISEASE PREVENTION AND GREATLY IMPROVED MEDICAL TREATMENTS. CANCER DEATHS HAVE DROPPED FOR SIMILAR REASONS. ACCIDENTAL DEATHS HAVE FALLEN AS WELL - LARGELY DUE TO THE NEW HIGHWAY SPEED LIMITS AND SEAT BELT LAWS THAT WERE ENACTED IN THE 1970S AND EIGHTIES. BUT A CLOSER LOOK SHOWS THERE IS STILL ROOM FOR IMPROVEMENT. DEATHS FROM CHRONIC LUNG DISEASE AND DIABETES ARE BOTH ON THE RISE THE PAINFUL REALITY THAT COMES WITH YEARS OF SMOKING AND OBESITY. HEALTH EXPERTS STRESS THAT SIMPLE MEASURES LIKE QUITTING SMOKING, EATING RIGHT, AND EXERCISING CAN NOT ONLY HELP US LIVE LONGER BUT ALSO LIVE BETTER.

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-5:00

WOMEN WHO HAVE ALREADY EXPERIENCED MENOPAUSE MAY WANT TO ADD SOY-BASED FOODS TO THEIR DIET. RESEARCHERS AT VANDERBUILT UNIVERSITY SAY THAT SOY LESSENS THE PROGRESS OF OSTEOPOROSIS. THE AVERAGE CONSUMPTION WAS 8-AND-A-HALF GRAMS OF PRODUCTS LIKE SOY MILK, TOFU, SOY SPOUTS AND SOYBEANS. DOCTORS ALSO SAY WOMEN CAN FIGHT BONE LOSS WITH MORE EXERCISE AND BY TAKING CALCIUM AND VITAMIN-D.

SARASOTA POLICE SAY THEY'VE ARRESTED A LOCAL MAN THEY SAY CASHED-IN ON SOMEONE ELSE'S IDENTITY. POLICE SAY 27-YEAR OLD DOMINGO HERNANDEZ OF SARASOTA STOLE A TENNESEE MAN'S SOCIAL SECURITY CARD 2-YEARS AGO AND USED IT TO GET 36-THOUSAND DOLLARS. MEANWHILE, THE TENNESSEE MAN HAD NO IDEA SOMEONE ELSE HAD HIS I-D. HERNANDEZ FACES IDENTITY THEFT CHARGES. POLICE SAY HE WAS ARRESTED WITH FAKE I-Ds AND A FALSE IMMIGRATION PAPERS.

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A 19-YEAR OLD ENGLEWOOD MAN INVOLVED IN A DEADLY CAR ACCIDENT THAT KILLED A LEMON BAY HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL PLAYER IN JULY IS IN TROUBLE WITH THE LAW. SARASOTA COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES SAY SHAWN MINOR STOLE HIS BROTHERS CAR AND CRASHED IT. ON JULY 14-TH MINOR WAS DRIVING A PICKUP ON EAST DEARBORN STREET WHEN AUTHORITIES SAY HE HIT AND KILLED 15-YEAR OLD KELVIN JACKSON WHO WAS WALKING HOME FROM A FRIEND'S HOUSE. NO CHARGES HAVE BEEN FILED IN THAT CASE. MINOR ALSO HAS A JUVENILE RECORD FOR BURLGARY AND GRAND THEFT.

LENGTH-01:44 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-6:00

WATCHING KATRINA'S DISTRUCTION HAS CAUSED A WIDE RANGE OF PAINFUL EMOTIONS. "IT'S GONE FROM ANGRY TO HURT, CONCERN FOR EVERYONE, ANGER COMES FROM I DON'T THINK WE RESPONDED AS QUICK AS WE COULD." THE PAIN HASN'T GONE AWAY FOR LAURA GAFFNEY. HER SISTER'S HOME WAS DESTROYED BY KATRINA. "EVIDENTLY THE WALLS WERE GONE. THEY WEREN'T ABLE TO SALVAGE ANYTHING BUT A FEW CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENTS." LAURA GRIEVES FOR HER SISTER'S LOSSES ... AND FEARS FOR HER OWN FUTURE." IT COULD HAPPEN TO US ALSO." DEBORAH BAKON'S DAUGHTER LIVED IN NEW ORLEANS AND FOR DAYS AS THEY WATCHED THE HORROR UNFOLD ... THEY COULDN'T FIND HER. "IT WAS SO OVERWHELMING EMOTIONALLY. WE COULDN'T GET AWAY FROM TV, AND THAT WAS PROBABLY THE WORST THING WE COULD DO TO OURSELVES." COASTAL BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CARE IS REACHING OUT TO HELP SUNCOAST PEOPLE STRUGGLING TO GET BACK ON THEIR EMOTIONAL FEET. DR. CHRISTINE CAUFFIELD HAS THIS ADVICE. "IT'S REALLY IMPORTANT TO INCORPORATE YOUR NORMAL ROUTINE IN YOUR DAILY ACTIVITIES."SHE SAYS DON'T ISOLATE YOURSELF ... REACH OUT TO PROFESSIONALS, THOSE IN YOUR RELIGIOUS FAITH, OR FRIENDS." WE NEED TO COME TOGETHER, SHARE OUT FEELINGS AND HELP OTHERS WHO ARE LESS FORTUNATE WE ARE." HERE'S HOW OTHERS ARE FINDING THE STRENGTH TO COPE AS THEY WATCH SCENES LIKE THIS. " MY KIDS, MY KIDS GET ME THRU, MY HUSBAND," "I HAVE A STRONG RELIGIOUS CONVICTION, I PRAY A LOT.""WE TURNED TO FRIENDS FOR SUPPORT. WE TALK TO OUR CHILDREN EVERYDAY. WE ARE STARTING TO TURN OUR EFFORTS TO OTHER PEOPLE WHO WERE SO DEVASTATED."

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LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

SARASOTA POLICE ARE CLOSING THE BOOKS ON A TWO-YEAR OLD IDENTITY THEFT CASE. INVESTIGATORS SAY DOMINGO HERNANDEZ HAD BEEN USING A STOLEN SOCIAL SECURITY CARD, THAT BELONGED TO A MEMPHIS MAN. THEY SAY HE USED THE NUMBER AND A FAKE ALIEN REGISTRATION CARD TO EARN OVER 36-THOUSAND DOLLARS. HE FACES ONE COUNT OF I-D THEFT AND TWO COUNTS OF POSESSING A FAKE I-D.

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

WITH FLU SEASON JUST AROUND THE CORNER, PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICIALS ARE ADVISING YOU TO GET YOUR SHOT. THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL ISSUED A JOINT WARNING FOR AT-RISK AMERICANS TO GET IMMUNIZED AGAINST INFLUENZA AND PNEUMOCOCCAL DISEASE. LAST YEAR, A MANUFACTURING PROBLEM LED TO A VACCINE SHORTAGE, LEAVING THE MOST VULNERABLE SCRAMBLING FOR A SHOT. HIGH-RISK GROUPS INCLUDE YOUNG CHILDREN, SENIOR CITIZENS, HEALTHCARE WORKERS, AND PREGNANT WOMEN. THIS YEAR, VICTIMS OF HURRICANE KATRINA WHO'RE LIVING IN SHELTERS HAVE BEEN ADDED TO THE LIST.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A CITRUS COUNTY COUPLE ACCUSED OF TORTURING THEIR ADOPTIVE CHILDREN WERE SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS IN PRISON TODAY. JOHN AND LINDA DOLLAR PLEADED NO CONTEST. THE COUPLE ALSO HAS TO UNDERGO MENTAL HEALTH EVALUATIONS, ANGER MANAGEMENT COURSES AND TERMINATE ALL PARENTAL RIGHTS. THE FAMILY LIVED IN A SECLUDED HOME AND THE CHILDREN WERE HOME SCHOOLED, SO NO OUTSIDERS KNEW WHAT WAS HAPPENING. NONE OF THE CHILDREN WERE AT THE HEARING.

LENGTH-01:02 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

NEW RESEARCH SHOWS WALNUTS ARE NATURAL SOURCE OF MELATONIN SCIENTISTS ALSO STUDY MELANTONIN'S EFFECTS ON CANCER RESEARCH AT THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER IN SAN ANTONIO HAS PROVEN WALNUTS ARE A NATURAL SOURCE OF MELATONIN. IN FACT, ACCORDING TO THE NEW STUDY (PUBLISHED IN THE JOURNAL NUTRITION), WHEN WALNUTS ARE CONSUMED, BLOOD LEVELS OF MELATONIN INCREASE THREEFOLD. MANY THINK MELATONIN IS SOMETHING YOU CAN TAKE TO FALL SLEEP AFTER LONG AIRPLANE FLIGHTS. BUT SCIENTISTS ARE STUDYING HOW THIS VITAL MOLECULE ACTUALLY FIGHTS DISEASES LIKE CANCER, MAY IMPACT DISEASES ASSOCIATED WITH AGING AND LIKELY WILL ALLOW PEOPLE TO LIVE HEALTHIER LIVES. MELATONIN AND OMEGA-3S, BOTH OF WHICH ARE IN WALNUTS, STARVE CANCERS BECAUSE THEY PREVENT THE GROWTH OF CANCER CELLS. RESEARCHERS BELIEVE THAT IT MAY BE THE SYNERGY IN WALNUTS - THE COMBINATION OF NUTRIENTS, PLUS THE MELATONIN - THAT MAKES THEM SO BENEFICIAL. ADDITIONALLY, MELATONIN HAS BEEN WIDELY, EXPERIMENTALLY, TESTED IN MODELS OF ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND PARKINSON'S DISEASE. THESE STUDIES SHOW THAT THE DEGENERATIVE CELLULAR CHANGES THAT OCCUR IN THE BRAIN CAN BE PREVENTED OR DELAYED FROM DEVELOPING WITH MELATONIN. OTHER RECENT STUDIES HAVE SHOWN WALNUTS REDUCE THE

RISK OF HEART DISEASE BECAUSE OF THEIR COMBINATION OF HEALTHY NUTRIENTS, INCLUDING OMEGA-3 FATTY ACIDS AND ANTIOXIDANTS.

LENGTH-00:37 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

THERE'S A NEW PHONE SCAM OUT THERE.. THIS ONE HAS TO DO WITH JURY DUTY.. SOMEONE CALLS SAYING THEY WORK FOR THE LOCAL COURT AND CLAIMS YOU'VE FAILED TO REPORT FOR JURY DUTY. THEN SAYS THERE'S A WARRANT OUT FOR YOUR ARREST. WHEN THE VICTIM SAYS THEY DIDN'T GET JURY NOTIFICATION, THEY ASK YOU FOR PERSONAL INFORMATION TO "VERIFY" YOUR IDENTITY. THAT INCLUDES YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER AND CREDIT CARD INFO. IT'S BEEN REPORTED IN NINE STATES.. BUT NOT IN FLORIDA YET..BUT AUTHORITIES SAY THEY'RE SURE IT WILL SPREAD NATIONWIDE. HERE'S SOME TIPS ON PHONE SCAMMERS. NEVER GIVE OUT YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION OVER THE PHONE. THEN, TRY TO GET THE CALLERS PHONE NUMBER AND CALL THE POLICE AND REPORT IT.

LENGTH-00:48 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

HAVE YOU READ RECENTLY THAT PLASTIC WATERBOTTLESCONTAIN HAZARDOUS CHEMICALS THAT COULD LEAK OUT AND CAUSE CANCER? THE INTERNET HAS BEEN FLOODED WITH EMAIL WARNINGS THAT FREEZING THE WATER IN YOUR PLASTIC BOTTLE RELEASES CANCER CAUSING CHEMICALSCALLEDDIOXINS. BUT SCIENTISTS SAY THERE IS NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT - THE WATER BOTTLE SCAM STORY IS PURE MEDICAL MYTH. ALTHOUGH THE EMAIL LOOKS AUTHENTIC, AND EVEN NAMES A DOCTOR AS THE SOURCE OF THESE FACTS, THIS INFORMATION IS JUST PLAIN FALSE. BUT THE RUMORS WERE SO WIDELY CIRCULATED AND BELIEVED THAT LEADERS AT JOHNS HOPKINS SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH-- ONE OF HE FALSELY CITED SOURCES OF THE WATER BOTTLE MYTH -- HAVE MADE PUBLIC STATEMENTS TO DISPEL THE RUMOR. HOPKINS EXPERTS SAYTHERE ARE IN FACT NO DIOXINS IN PLASTICS TO BEGIN WITH! AND EVEN IF THERE WERE -FREEZINGWATER BOTTLE SACTUALLY PREVENTS MOST CHEMICALS FROM BEING RELEASED.

LENGTH-00:54 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

"IT'S NOT THE SAME WITHOUT CKATT. SHE MADE THAT SHOP AND WITHOUT HER IT'S NOT THE SAME..." ANN CURTIS TALKS ABOUT HER BEST FRIEND... 43-YEAR-OLD THERESA WHITE. WHITE WAS KILLED IN THIS ACCIDENT... WHEN TROPPERS SAY DIXIE MURPHY GOT BEHIND THE WHEEL OF THIS CAR...EVNTUALLY KILLING WHITE AND ANOTHER MAN. TROPPERS SAY MURPHY HAD THREE TIMES THE LEGAL LIMIT OF ALCOHOL. "IT VERY HARD TO BE HERE WITHOUT KCATT AND KNOW THAT DIXIE IS STILL OUT DRIVING." "TROPPERS SAY MURPHY WAS TRAVELING NORTH ON U-S 41 WHEN SHE CROSSED OVER THE MEDIAN AND THESE TWO LANES. SHE CAME OVER THIS PATCH OF GRASS AND HIT A FLEA MARKET THAT WAS RIGHT HERE. SHE HIT TWO TABLES, KNAPP AND WHITE. KNAPP DIED THREE HOURS LATER AND WHITE WAS IN A COMA, WHERE SHE LATER DIED." BUT WITH MURPHY OUT ON BOND...FRIENDS AND FAMILY SAY THIER LOST LOVED ONES AREN'T GETTING ANY JUSTICE. "HAVING DIXIE MURPHY IN JAIL OR OFF THE STREETS BECAUSE WE WORRY VERY MUCH ABOUT IT HAPPENING AGAIN." SO TODAY WE WENT TO MURPHY'S HOUSE TO GET HER SIDE OF

THE STORY, BUT NO ONE ANSWERED. FRIENDS AND FAMILY OF THE VICTIMS SAY THE PROBLEM IS THEY WANT IS JUSICE TO BE SERVED...PUTTING MURPHY BEHIND BARS FOR LIFE. BUT FOR KNOW THE ANSWER SEEMS TO BE WITHIN... "WE HOLD ON TO THE MEMORIES THAT WE HAVE AND LIFE GOES ON. BUT FOR ALL HER FAMILY AND MR. KNAPP'S FAMILY THERES A BIG VOID THERE." EMAILS LIKE THIS EMPHASIZE HOW IMPORTANT IT IS TO CHECK THE SOURCE OF ALL HEALTH INFORMATION. AND WHEN IN DOUBT: ASK YOUR DOCTOR.

SEPTEMBER 16, 2005

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A PORT CHARLOTTE EX YMCA EMPLOYEE HAS BEEN ARRESTED AND CHARGED WITH GRAND THEFT. 23 YEAR OLD AIMEE MARIE SMITH WAS ARRESTED AFTER DEPUTIES WERE CALLED TO THE YMCA LAST WEDNESDAY TO MEET WITH THE MEMBERSHIP DRIECTOR. THE DIRECTOR TOLD THEM THAT BETWEEN MAY OF 2005 AND JULY OF 2005 SMITH STOLE OVER 13 HUNDRED DOLLARS FROM THE BUSINESS. SHE ALLEGEDLY REVERSED CASH TRANSACTIONS IN THE COMPUTER. WITNESSES THAT WORKED WITH SMITH SAY THEY WITNESSED HER TAKE MONEY FROM THE CASH REGISTER. SMITH ADMITTED TO DEPUTIES THAT SHE DID STEAL THE MONEY BECAUSE SHE WAS HAVING FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES.

LENGTH-01:31 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

AT A COURTHOUSE PRESS CONFERENCE IN LAS VEGAS, HEATHER CATHERINE TALLCHIEF, CLOSED THE BOOK ON A 12 YEAR OLD MYSTERY. SOT - ROBERT AXELROD / TALLCHIEF'S ATTORNEY - THE BEST WAY TO DESCRIBE HER FROM WHAT SHE WAS WAS A YOUNG SOCCER MOM ONE OF THE FBI'S MOST WANTED FUGITIVES. TALLCHIEF FINALLY SURRENDERED TO FEDERAL AUTHORITIES THURSDAY SOT -JOSEPH A DUSHEK - FORMER FBI AGENT - IT WAS VERY WELL PREPARED THIS CRIME, VERY WELL THOUGHT OUT IN 1993 TALLCHIEF, THEN 21 YEARS OLD, TOOK A JOB WORKING FOR AN ARMORED CAR COMPANY. SHE LIVED IN THIS APARTMENT COMPLEX WITH HER BOYFRIEND, ROBERTO SOLIS, A CONVICTED BANK ROBBER. SCOTT STEWART REMEMBERS DRIVING ON THE JOB WITH TALLCHIEF. SOT - SCOTT STEWART / FORMER COWORKER - SHE DID HER JOB WHEN SHE CAME TO WORK - I DO REMMEBER SHE HAD PROBLEMS DRIVING AUTHORITIES SAY THE FORMER NURSE WITH NO CRIMINAL RECORD, BUILT UP TRUST AND A SPOTLESS WORK RECORD -UNTIL ONE DAY, ON OCTOBER FIRST 1993, AT THE CIRCUS CIRCUS CASINO. . . . SHE SIMPLY DROVE AWAY WITH AS MUCH AS 3-POINT-1 MILLION DOLLARS IN HER TRUCK-LEAVING HER COWORKERS BEHIND. IN THE BACK OF MY HEAD I BELIEVE I TOLD MY PARTNER THAT 'I BET SHE STOLE THE MONEY' SHE SAYS SOLIS MAPPED OUT THE HEIST DOWN TO THE SMALLEST DETAIL. STEP BY STEP, STREET BY STREET, ... TO A PREDESTINED GARAGE INVESTIGATORS FIRST THOUGHT THE YOUNG WOMAN HAD BEEN ABDUCTED WITH THE MONEY. BY THE TIME POLICE REALIZED WHAT HAD HAPPENED - TALLCHIEF AND HER BOYFRIEND HAD VANISHED. TWO YEARS AFTER THE HEIST THE TWO FOUND THEMSELVES ON THE LAM IN EUROPE WITH A NEW SON. BUT SOON AFTER TALLCHIEF SAYS SHE LEFT SOLIS - AND THE LOOT. SOT - ROBERT AXELROD / TALLCHIEF'S ATTY- SHE LEFT WITHOT ANY OF THE MONEY. SHE DID NOT

WANT THE MONEY TALLCHIEF WORKED AS A HOTEL MAID AND RAISED HER CHILD FOR THE NEXT DECADE. EARLIER THIS WEEK, WANTING BETTER FOR HER SON THAN LIFE ON THE RUN, SHE SAYS SHE TOLD HIM SHE WOULD SEE HIM AGAIN SOON AND FLEW HOME TO SURRENDER.

LENGTH-01:27 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

IT'S ANOTHER SIGN OF HOW MORE AMERICANS ARE TURNING TO MEDICATIONS TO HELP CONTROL THEIR MOODS AND BEHAVIORS. ACCORDING TO THE NEW STUDY, 1 OUT OF EVERY 100 ADULTS UNDER THE AGE OF 45 IS NOW TAKING A DRUG FOR ATTENTION DEFICIT HYPERACTIVITY DISORDER. THAT'S MORE THAN A MILLION ADULTS ON THESE DRUGS. MANY STARTED WHEN THEY WERE CHILDREN. SOT DR. ROBERT EPSTEIN/MEDCO HEALTH SOLUTIONS SCIENCE HAS SHOWN THAT NOT ALL CHILDREN ACTUALLY OUTGROW ADHD. MANY OF THESE CHILDREN, UPWARDS OF 50 PERCENT. CONTINUE TO HAVE THE SYMPTOMS INTO ADULTHOOD. WHILE ADULTS USUALLY DON'T HAVE THE HYPERACTIVITY OF ADHD, THEY OFTEN DISPLAY THE OTHER TELL-TALE SIGNS, INATTENTION, DISORGANIZATION, AND FORGETFULNESS. STANDUP JOHN MCKENZIE/ABC NEWS, NEW YORK: RESEARCHERS SAY AN INCREASING NUMBER OF PEOPLE ARE ALREADY IN THEIR THIRTIES AND FORTIES, BEFORE THEY'RE FIRST DIAGNOSED. ESPECIALLY WOMEN. WITH TWO CHILDREN, SUSAN KERRY HAD TROUBLE JUST COMPLETING THE LAUNDRY, UNTIL A DOCTOR SAID SHE HAS AN ATTENTION DEFICIT DISORDER, AND PRESCRIBED MEDICATIONS. SUSAN (NO SUPER) I'M MUCH CALMER. I'M MORE ORGANIZED. I'M MORE FOCUSED. I CAN KEEP MY THOUGHTS TOGETHER. RESEARCHERS SAY WOMEN ARE GETTING HELP LATER IN LIFE BECAUSE AS GIRLS, THEY DO NOT USUALLY DISPLAY THE SAME "DISRUPTIVE BEHAVIOR" AS BOYS. SOT DR. DAVID GOODMAN/PSYCHIATRIST, JOHNS HOPKINS MEDICAL CENTER: BUT AS THEY BECOME ADULTS, MOUNTING RESPONSIBILITIES TAX THEIR ABILITIES TO ORGANIZE. (OPEN COMMERCIAL) WHILE MEDICATIONS SUCH AS STRATERRA, ADERALL AND RITALIN HELP PATIENTS STAY FOCUSED, SOME DOCTORS WORRY THEY'RE BEING OVER-PRESCRIBED TO ADULTS AS WELL AS CHILDREN. SOT DR. ALEXANDER LERMAN/RESEARCH PSYCHIATRIST WE'RE TALKING ABOUT RISKS OF MOOD INSTANT AND IRRITABILITY. INSOMNIA. MEDICAL COMPLICATIONS LIKE HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE. TODAY'S STUDY LEARNED THAT THE USE OF THE DRUGS IS SECOND ONLY TO ARTHRITIS DRUGS IN THE COUNTRY.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

A NEW DIGITAL MAMMOGRAM FOR DETECTING CANCER IN YOUNG WOMEN AND IT MAY WORK BETTER THAN A STANDARD X-RAY. RESEARCHERS FOUND THAT STANDARD MAMMOGRAMS ONLY CUT A YOUNG WOMAN'S RISK OF DYING BY 15-TO-20 PERCENT. THE NEWER DIGITAL TESTS COST MORE, BUT THEY CAN BE STORED ON A COMPUTER AND SENT ELECTRONICALLY WHEN A WOMAN MOVES OR NEEDS ANOTHER DOCTOR TO SEE THEM. THE STUDY IS BEING RELEASED IN THE NEW ENGLAND JOURNAL OF MEDICINE.

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

A DEADLY SWAT TEAM SHOOTING IN NORTH PORT IS RULED *JUSTIFIED* BY THE STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.. ON AUGUST 22ND, SWAT TEAM MEMBERS SHOT 39-YEAR OLD RAEMOND EICHELKRAUT INSIDE HIS HOME.. DEPUTIES SAY EICHELKRAUT WAIVED A GUN AT THEM. THAT'S WHEN THEY FIRED. THE STANDOFF BEGAN AFTER EICHELKRAUT GOT INTO A FIGHT WITH HIS WIFE.

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

AN ACCUSED ROBBER GOT MORE THAN HE BARGAINED FOR AT A MANATEE COUNTY GAS STATION. HE GOT ARRESTED. IMMEDIATELY. DEPUTIES SAY YESTERDAY AFTERNOON, WAYNE TONKIN WALKED INTO A GAS STATION IN THE 2700 BLOCK OF MANATEE AVENUE. THEY SAY HE HAD A GUN, AND TOLD THE CLERK HE WANTED MONEY. BUT TONKIN DIDN'T KNOW TWO DEPUTIES WERE PARKED BEHIND THE GAS STATION. A CUSTOMER TOLD THEM WHAT WAS GOING ON, AND THE DEPUTIES WENT INSIDE. ONE OF THE DEPUTIES IS AN EXPERT IN MARTIAL ARTS... SO HE GOT THE GUN AWAY FROM TONKIN. TONKIN FACES AN ARMED ROBBERY CHARGE.

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LENGTH-01:37 ISSUE-EDUCATION 10 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

"IT'S HELP MOTIVATE THE STUDENTS, TO BE INTERESTED IN LEARNING" LAPTOPS, 150 OF THEM GIVEN TO 7TH GRADE STUDENTS AT SUGG MIDDLE SCHOOL.. THANKS TO A GRANT, THESE STUDENTS CAN TAKE HOME THE LAPTOPS EVERY DAY FOR SIX MONTHS, SOMETHING SCHOOL OFFICIALS BELIEVE IS AN ADVANTAGE. "IT GIVES THEM THAT CONTINUOUS WORK PATH,""AND IT KEEPS THEM CONNECTED TO THE WORLD AROUND THEM AS WELL. THERE ARE SOME MANY RESOURCES ON THE INTERNET THAT WE DIDN'T HAVE WHEN WE WERE GOING TO SCHOOL, AND HAS ONE STUDENT SO ELOQUENTLY PUT IT 'NO MATTER HOW MUCH HE DOES ON THE COMPUTER, IT doesn't GET HEAVIER" IT'S NOT JUST STUDENTS WHO ARE TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE NEW TOOLS AVAILABLE "I HAVE SO MANY MORE TOOLS AT MY FINGER TIPS, I HAVE A STACK OF THIS MUCH MATERIAL THAT I CAN REALLY GO THROUGH AND SHARE WITH THE STUDENTS. THEY CAN GO TO WEBSITES. YOU'D EVEN FIND THAT THE PUBLISHERS OF THE MATH TEXT BOOKS, OR EVEN ANY OTHER TEXT BOOKS HAVE MATERIALS TO GO ALONG WITH COMPUTER AIDED INSTRUCTION." BUT IS SIX MONTHS ENOUGH TIME TO PLANT A SEED IN THESE STUDENTS, SO THEY MAY REALISE THE IMPORTANCE OF COMPUTERS. "PLANTING A SEED YES, AND IT'S SOMETHING WE HAVE TO WATCH GROW HAS TIME GOES BY" "EVEN WORKING AT

MCDONALDS, YOU HAVE TO PUNCH THINGS IN TO A COMPUTER, YOU HAVE TO BE ABLE TO UNDERSTAND HOW APPLICATIONS WORK, YOU HAVE TO BE ABLE TO WORK A MOUSE, WHETHER YOU ARE A SECRETARY, A DOCTOR, A LAWYER...THEY ALL REQUIRE COMPUTING SKILLS, CRITACAL THINKING SKILLS AND THE SOONER WE develop THAT, THOSE SKILLS IN OUR STUDENTS, THE BETTER EQUIP THEY WILL BE TO FACE THIS WORKFORCE" AND WHAT ABOUT COST? CAN ANYBODY AFFORD LAPTOPS FOR THERE KIDS? MACK ALDRICH SAYS YES. THERE ARE RESOURCES OUT THERE ON THE INTERNET THAT HAVE REFURBISHED EQUIPEMENT, AND YES YOU CAN BY SOMETHING CHEAPER THAT IS USED. IT MAY NOT HAVE THE LATEST OPERATING SYSTEM, THE HORSE POWER UNDER THE HOOD. BUT THE TECHNOLOGY CHANGES SO QUICKLY YOU ARE NEVER GOING TO BE IN THE CUSP OF TECHNOLOGY, UNLESS YOU HAVE THE MONEY TO PURCHASE SOMETHING EVERY THREE MONTHS." AND GETTING OUR CHILDREN PREPARED EARLY FOR THE CHALLENGES AHEAD, MAY BE WORTH ANY PRICE.

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

AN OUT OF CONTROL VEHICLE AT A CALIFORNIA AIRPORT SENDS POLICE ON A CHASE ACROSS THE RUNWAYS. POLICE SAY A MAN DRESSED ONLY IN A SHIRT AND UNDERWEAR DROVE ACROSS TWO RUNWAYS AT THE PALM SPRINGS AIRPORT, BROKE A LOCK ON A PLANE DOOR AND TRIED TO RUN DOWN AN OFFICER. THEY SHOT HIM TWICE, HE CRASHED HIS TRUCK AND STILL WOULDN'T SURRENDER. POLICE DOGS EVENTUALLY HELPED GET HIM INTO CUSTODY. HE'S IN CRITICAL CONDITION TODAY, FACING MULTIPLE CHARGES.

LENGTH-03:09 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-12:00

IN A NATION KNOWN FOR HONORING ITS ANCESTRY -- MONDAY IS JAPAN'S "RESPECT THE ELDERLY" DAY. BUT ADMIRATION MAY BE THE BETTER WORD---ATIKA SHUBERT TOOK TIME TO MEET SOME ACCOMPLISHED ATHLETES--- WELL INTO THEIR LATER YEARS. THIS CREDIT CARD AD PROMISES EVERLASTING VALUE - USING 70-YEAR OLD GYMNAST MINORU NOZUE, AS A PICTURE OF HEALTH AND LONGEVITY. THIS IS NOT A SPECIAL EFFECT. "I JUST LIKE SPORTS. I LIKE MOVING MY BODY AND I LIKE RUNNING. NO SECRETS." NOZUE IS JUST ONE EXAMPLE OF JAPAN'S FIT AND HEALTHY SENIORS. AFTER TENDING TO HIS CROPS, NOZUE HIKES 2 HOURS A DAY. THEN, HE RUNS THROUGH THE NEIGHBORHOOD PLAYGROUND, JUMPING, CLIMBING AND, OF COURSE, PRACTICING HIS SIGNATURE HIGH BAR PERFORMANCE. HIS RECORD: 22 CONSECUTIVES FLIPS IN A ROW. "MONDAY IS OFFICIALLY "RESPECT FOR THE ELDERLY DAY" IN JAPAN. BUT FIT SENIORS LIKE MR. NOZUE MAKE EVERY DAY RESPECT FOR THE ELDERLY DAY. IN FACT, JAPAN HAS THE LONGEST-LIVING, HEALTHIEST SENIORS IN THE WORLD. UNFORTUNATELY, IT ALSO HAS A SHARPLY DECLINING BIRTHRATE."MORE THAN 20-PERCENT OF THE COUNTRY IS OVER THE AGE 65 - MANY IN GREAT SHAPE. JAPAN, FOR EXAMPLE, IS HOME TO THE WORLD'S FASTEST 91-YEAR OLD: 100 METERS IN 22 SECONDS. GOOD NEWS, RIGHT? EXCEPT THAT JAPAN'S BIRTH RATE IS STRUGGLING AT JUST ONE-POINT-28 BABIES PER FAMILY - A RECORD LOW. THERE ARE LESS AND LESS YOUNG PEOPLE TO SUPPORT THE PENSIONS AND MEDICAL BENEFITS REQUIRED BY THE ELDERLY. JUST ASK NOZUE. HE HAS ONLY ONE 5-YEAR OLD GRANDSON - WHO WILL LIKELY HAVE TO SUPPORT AGING MEMBERS ON BOTH SIDES OF HIS FAMILY. "WE ARE HAVING LESS BABIES AND WE ARE GETTING LESS PENSION. I WORRY ABOUT IT. " "WHEN YOU'RE YOUNG, YOU DON'T THINK ABOUT IT. BUT WHEN YOU START RECEIVING A PENSION, IT'S SUDDENLY

A PROBLEM." JUST ONE OF THE REASONS NOZUE STARTED HIS HIGH-FLYING EXERCISE REGIME AT THE AGE OF 50 - WITH NO PROFESSIONAL TRAINING. 20 YEARS LATER, HE'S STILL AT IT - TEACHING SOMEONE 30 YEARS HIS JUNIOR HOW TO DO IT RIGHT. "I CANNOT SAY HOW LONG I'LL KEEP DOING THIS. IT DEPENDS ON MY HEALTH, I GUESS. BUT I'D LIKE TO CONTINUE AS LONG AS I CAN." IF STATISTICS ARE ANYTHING TO GO BY, NOZUE MAY HAVE MANY MORE YEARS TO LOOK FORWARD TO.

LENGTH-01:17 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-12:00

RESEARCHERS SAY THE FINDINGS FROM THIS STUDY SHOULD CHANGE THE WAY TENS OF MILLIONS OF WOMEN ARE SCREENED FOR BREAST CANCER. SOT DR. ETTA PISANO/UNIV OF NORTH CAROLINA: MORE CANCERS COULD BE FOUND USING DIGITAL THAN FILM. THERE IS NOTHING DIFFERENT ABOUT THE EXAM ITSELF: THE EQUIPMENT LOOKS THE SAME, FEELS THE SAME. WHILE TRADITIONAL X-RAYS USE FILM, "DIGITAL" MAMMOGRAMS PRODUCE IMAGES ON A COMPUTER SCREEN, WHERE THEY CAN BE ENHANCED OR MAGNIFIED. DR. AND JM SHOW AND TELL: "WE CAN ADJUST THE CONTRAST TO HIGHLIGHT SHADOWS." EXPLAINS MAGNIFICATION AND SHOWS US A CANCER THAT WOULD LIKELY BE MISSED ON FILM MAMMOGRAPHY. FOR 32 YEAR OLD CARA BUSKIN, WITH A FAMILY HISTORY OF BREAST CANCER, GETTING A DIGITAL MAMMOGRAM MEANS PEACE OF MIND. CARA (NO SUPER) I FEEL LIKE I'M DOING ALL I CAN TO BE PROACTIVE. IF I WASN'T DOING THIS, I WOULD BE A WHOLE LOT MORE WORRIED. IN THIS STUDY OF 42 THOUSAND WOMEN, RESEARCHERS FOUND DIGITAL MAMMOGRAPHY DETECTED UP TO 28 PERCENT MORE CANCERS IN WOMEN 50 AND UNDER, OR WHO HAD DENSE BREAST TISSUE. CHICAGO DOC EXPLAINS HOW DENSE SEEMS TO BE THE COMMON DENOMINATOR IN ALL THESE CATEGORIES. JOHN MCKENZIE/ABC NEWS, NEW YORK, NY THE BIG CHALLENGE FOR SCREEING CENTERS NOW IS BUYING AND INSTALLING ENOUGH NEW DIGITAL MACHINES TO MEET THE EXPECTED DEMAND. ALTHOUGH THEY'VE BEEN AVAILABLE FOR THE LAST FOUR YEARS, ONLY ABOUT 8 PERCENT OF MAMMOGRAPHY MACHINES IN THE US ARE DIGITAL. WHILE MOST INSURANCE PLANS WILL COVER THE TEST, MOST HOSPITALS HAVE BEEN RELUCTANT TO SPEND THE 300 THOUSAND DOLLARS ON THE EQUIPMENT WITHOUT CLEAR EVIDENT IT'S WORTH IT. NOW THEY FINALLY HAVE THE PROOF THEY WERE LOOKING FOR.

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

IT WAS A DIFFERENT STORY BACK ON AUG. 8TH WHEN SHERIFF JOHN DAVENPORT CALLED A NEWS CONFERENCE TO ANNOUNCE THE ARREST OF 35 YEAR OLD DEVIN LEFFORGE. HE CALLED LEFFORGE A "DANGEROUS INDIVIDUAL" ...AND SAID NEIGHBORS COULD SLEEP A LITTLE EASIER KNOWING HE WAS OFF THE STREET. LEFFORE WAS ACCUSED BEATING AND ATTEMPTING TO RAPE THE ELDERLY WOMAN. SHE SPENT SOME TIME IN THE HOSPITAL ... RECOVERING FROM A BROKEN RIB, AND VARIOUS OTHER INJURIES. NOW FOLKS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD ARE LEFT WITH THE FRIGHTENING KNOWLEDGE ...IS OUT THERE ON THE STREET ... A FREE MAN. "PLEASE FIND HIM, AND LET US ALL GET BACK AT EASE. I HAVE A CHILD HERE, AND I DON'T WANT TO LIVE IN FEAR."

NEWS THAT DEVIN LEFFORGE WAS RELEASED FROM JAIL SENT SHOCK WAVES THRU THIS QUIET NEIGHBORHOOD. "I DON'T WANT TO KEEP LIVING IN FEAR. THIS IS A WONDERFUL NEIGHBOURHOOD AND I WANT TO KNOW I'M SAFE HERE." LEFFORGE WAS ARRESTED FOR THE ATTEMPTED RAPE OF A 92 YEAR OLD WOMAN. HE FIT THE VICTIM'S DISCRIPTION. *AND* SHE HAD PICKED HIM OUT OF A LINEUP. CHARLOTTE COUNTY SHERIFF JOHN DAVENPORT SEEMED POSITIVE HE HAD HIS MAN. "WE ARE VERY CONFIDENT THAT THIS IS THE INDIVIDUAL WHO COMMITTED THIS CRIME. SO WE HOPE THE CITIZENS OF CHARLOTTE COUNTY CAN SLEEP A LITTLE EASIER TONIGHT KNOWING HE IS OFF THE STREET. BECAUSE HE IS A VERY DANGEROUS INDIVIDUAL." "NOW RESIDENTS IN THIS QUIET NEIGHBOURHOOD SAY THEY ARE FRIGHTENED BECAUSE THIS SO CALLED "DANGEROUS INDIVIDUAL" IS BACK ON THE STREET. AND IF HE IS INNOCENT, THEN WHO DID COMMIT THIS TERRIBLE CRIME. THESE FOLKS SAY THEY WON'T HAVE A MOMENTS PEACE UNTIL THE GUILTY PERSON IS IN JAIL." SHEREE CRAMER SAYS DETECTIVES TOLD HER THE ATTACKER RAN THOUGH HER BACKYARD AS HE MADE HIS ESCAPE. "THEY THINK MAYBE WAS WENT DOWN THERE IN THE CANAL. HE COULD HAVE GONE THRU THE CANAL." OTHER NEIGHBORS SAY IF LEFFORGE IS INNOCENT,...THEY'RE GLAD HE'S FREE. BUT IT LEAVES THEM FEELING VERY VULNERABLE. "I'M GLAD IF THE MAN THEY HAD IN JAIL WASN'T REALLY THE ONE. I JUST WANT THE GUILTY ONE TO PAY THE PRICE." AND THEY SAY UNTIL THAT HAPPENS ... THEY'LL BE ON FULL ALERT ... FEARING THE PERSON WHO ATTACKED THEIR ELDERLY NEIGBHOR IS STILL LURKING NEARBY ... AND MIGHT ATTACK SOMEONE ELSE. "WE'RE ALL THE MORE CAUTIOUS. WE WERE ALWAYS CAUTIOUS, WE HAVE A WONDERFUL NEIGHBOURHOOD, BUT YOU CAN'T HELP LOOKING AT ANYONE WHO DRIVES BY AND WONDERING.... OR WONDERING WHO THAT IS PULLING IN YOUR DRIVEWAY."

LENGTH-00:15 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A CONNECTICUT WOMAN ADMITS SHE HAD A LONG SEXUAL RELATIONSHIP WITH HER EIGHT-YEAR-OLD NEIGHBOR. THE LITTLE BOY WAS A PLAYMATE OF HER DAUGHTER. 30-YEAR-OLD TAMMY IMRE PLED GUILTY TODAY. SHE WAS ARRESTED LAST YEAR, WHEN THE BOY'S MOTHER FOUND A LETTER. SHE FACES SIX YEARS IN PRISON.

LENGTH-00:44 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

PEOPLE WHO RUN REGULARLY HAVE 25 PER CENT LESS MUSCLE AND JOINT PAIN IN THEIR OLD AGE THAN PEOPLE WHO ARE LESS ACTIVE-- EVEN THOUGH THEY ARE MORE LIKELY TO EXPERIENCE PAIN FROM INJURIES. THE STUDY FOLLOWED A GROUP OF OLDER, ACTIVE RUNNERS, AVERAGE AGE 62 YEARS OLD, AND A GROUP OF PEOPLE WHO DID NOT RUN. EVERY YEAR FOR 14 YEARS, STUDY PARTICIPANTS ANSWERED QUESTIONS ABOUT THEIR HEALTH, THEIR EXERCISE HABITS, AND HOW MANY INJURIES THEY HAD SUFFERED DURING THAT YEAR. THE STUDY ALSO ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT PAIN AND THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TWO GROUPS WAS SURPRISING. OVER THE 14-YEAR STUDY, THOSE SENIORS WHO WERE REGULAR RUNNERS REPORTED 25 PER CENT LESS MUSCLE AND JOINT PAIN THAN THEIR LESS-ACTIVE PEERS. IT DIDN'T MATTER WHAT THEY WEIGHED, OR WHAT GENDER THEY WERE. THE RUNNERS JUST FELT LESS PAIN. OF COURSE, THEY DID RUN A LOT-BETWEEN 5 AND 35 HOURS A WEEK. BUT EXERCISE DOESN'T HAVE TO BE A FULL TIME JOB. EVERY LITTLE BIT CAN HELP.

SEPTEMBER 20, 2005

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A MANHUNT'S UNDERWAY THIS MORNING IN OHIO AND INDIANA.. POLICE ARE LOOKING FOR 43 YEAR OLD MELVIN KEELING. THEY SAY HE KILLED THREE PEOPLE YESTERDAY MORNING AND IS WANTED FOR AT LEAST TWO DOZEN SEX CRIMES. KEELING'S ACCUSED OF KILLING TWO CONVIENCE STORE WORKERS IN INDIANA AND A 13 YEAR OLD GIRL IN OHIO. THE GIRL WAS APPARENTLY FRIENDS WITH HIS DAUGHTER. HER GRANDMOTHER FOUND HER SHOT TO DEATH IN HER BEDROOM.

LENGTH-00:13 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THE HARVEST HAS BEEN BUSTED FOR ONE FARM IN NORTH CAROLINA. DEPUTIES IN DUPLIN COUNTY HAVE FOUND A POT FARM, GROWING MILLIONS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF MARIJUANA. IN ALL THEY SAY THE FARM WAS GROWING AN ESTIMATED FOUR THOUSAND POUNDS OF POT. "IT WAS, AH, BREATHTAKING TO BE HONEST WITH YOU." AERIAL WS WOODS. AERIAL CU WOODS. "I WAS PRETTY IMPRESSED, QUITE FRANKLY. I'VE NEVER SEEN ANYTHING QUITE LIKE THIS BEFORE." DEPUTIES HAVE NOT MADE ANY ARRESTS YET IN THE CASE.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

AN EIGHT YEAR OLD BOY HAS BEEN FOUND INCOMPENTENT TO STAND TRIAL ON CHARGES OF FATALLY BEATING HIS SEVEN-MONTH OLD HALF SISTER. THE BOY IS ACCUSED OF KICKING AND PUNCHING THE YOUNG GIRL AND THEN HITTING HER IN THE FACE WITH A TWO-BY-FOUR. THE INCIDENT HAPPENED LAST MAY. THE JUDGE WANTS DOCTORS TO DETERMINE WHETHER COUNSELING OR TRAINING WOULD HELP THE BOY UNDERSTAND COURT PROCEEDINGS SO THAT HE MAY BE PROSECUTED LATER.

LENGTH-00:34 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

50-YEAR OLD BEVERLEY BRADLEY SAYS THERE IS NO AMOUNT OF SWEEPING THAT CAN RID HER COMMUNITY OF THE HEALTH THREAT POSED BY THE FORMER WEAPONS PLANT ACROSS THE ROAD. SIGNS REFLECT TESTS THAT INDICATE A TOXIC EMISSIONS FROM THE PLANT THAT HAVE SPREAD TO 131-ACRES OF UNDERGROUND GROUND WATER. A MILE AWAY, PEGGY WARD SAYS SHE WELCOMES ANY PLAN THAT WOULD RELOCATE HER AND HER NEIGHBORS, BUT THE PROCESS IS WEARING THEIR PATIENCE. PEGGY WARD/TALLEVAST RESIDENT - "WE'RE BEING TOSSED AROUND LIKE WE DON'T REALLY MEAN ANYTHING. IT'S JUST HARD TO TAKE. WHAT THEY WANT TO DO WITH THE LAND AFTEWARD, WE HAVNE'T EVEN DISCUSSED IT."

THIS PORT CHARLOTTE COUPLE IS BEHIND BARS, CHARGED WITH CHAINING UP THEIR 16 YEAR OLD SON INSIDE THEIR HOME. WILLIAM BLOW AND RACHEL BLOW ARE ACCUSED OF PADLOCKING A CHAIN TO THE BOY'S ANKLE,, AND ATTACHING IT TO HANDCUFFS ON HIS WRIST. HIS MOTHER REPORTEDLY TOLD SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES SHE DIDN'T IT WAS WRONG, THAT HER SON WAS LOCKED UP BECAUSE HE GETS IN TROUBLE.

LENGTH-00:57 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

OVER THREE MILLION AMERICANS SUFFER FROM SCHIZOPHRENIA-- A CHRONIC MENTAL ILLNESS THAT CAUSES HALLUCINATIONS, DELUSIONS, AND PARANOIA. IN THE PAST, MOST DRUGS HELPED WITH SOME SYMPTOMS, BUT CAUSED NEW PROBLEMS AS WELL. IT WAS HOPED THAT MORE RECENT DRUGS WERE OFFERING BETTER ALTERNATIVES, BUT A HEAD TO HEAD ANALYSIS OF THE FIVE LEADING SCHIZOPHRENIA DRUGS FOUND NO WINNERS. IN FACT, MOST WERE DISAPPOINTING. 74 PER CENT OF ALL PATIENTS FAILED TO COMPLETE THE 18 MONTH STUDY, EITHER BECAUSE OF SIDE EFFECTS, OR BECAUSE THEY FELT THE DRUGS WERE SIMPLY NOT WORKING. SOME DRUGS CAUSED WEIGHT GAIN OR INSOMNIA. OTHERS MADE PEOPLE FEEL STIFF AND RIGID. ONE DRUG- CALLED - ZYPREXA (ZIGH-PREX-UH) OR OLANZAPINE (OH-LAN-ZUH-PEEN) DID SEEM TO WORK SLIGHTLY BETTER- ONLY 64 PER CENT OF PATIENTS ON THIS DRUG STOPPED TAKING THEIR MEDICATIONS. WHATS MORE, TODAY'S LEADING DRUGS WERE NOT MUCH BETTER THAN PERPHENAZINE BEEN (PER-FEN-A-ZINE) A DRUG THAT DOCTORS HAVE USING SINCE THE 1950'S. WHILE THESE RESULTS ARE DISAPPOINTING, EXPERTS STRESS THAT EACH PATIENT IS UNIQUE, AND THAT THESE DRUGS STILL DO WORK WELL FOR MANY PEOPLE WITH SCHIZOPHRENIA.

LENGTH-00:30 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-5:00

WITH OBESITY ON THE RISE, WOMEN OF CHILD-BEARING YEARS ARE BEING WARNED ABOUT EXCESS WEIGHT. DOCTORS SAY OBESITY INCREASES A WOMAN'S RISK OF MISCARRIAGE AND OTHER SERIOUS COMPLICATIONS. SOME NEW GUIDELINES OFFER SOME TIPS DURING PREGNANCY. RECOMMENDATIONS INCLUDE MILD EXERCISE. AND FORGET ABOUT "EATING FOR TWO", WHICH SAY IS A MYTH. WOMEN WHO ARE SLENDER SHOULD GAIN ONLY 25 TO 35 POUNDS WHEN PREGNANT. THOSE WHO ARE ALREADY OVERWEIGHT SHOULD GAIN ONLY 15 TO 25 POUNDS. ANOTHER TIP, DIETING DURING PREGNANCY IS A BIG NO-NO... IT CAN HARM THE BABY.

LENGTH-00:30 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-5:30

VOLVO HAS INTRODUCED A CAR DESIGNED BY WOMEN, JUST FOR WOMEN. A GROUP OF 9 FEMALE EMPLOYEES WITH VOLVO DESIGNED AND BUILT THIS SPORTS CAR. IT MAKES SENSE FOR THE COMPANY TO BUILD A CAR FOR WOMEN, BECAUSE WOMEN INFLUENCE 80-PERCENT OF CARS PURCHASED. THE "Y-C-C" OR WHAT THEY'RE CALLING, "YOUR CONCEPT CAR", ISN'T ON SALE YET, BUT IS TOURING THE AUTO SHOWS AND SHOWING OFF ITS MANY WOMANLY CONCEPTS. WE HAVE ALSO THIS SPECIAL SYSTEM THAT ACTUALLY THE CAR WILL ADJUST ITSELF TO YOU WHEN

YOU SIT IN SIDE...SO NO MORE SCOOTING UP CLOSE TO THE STEERING WHEEL JUST TO REACH THE PEDALS. ANOTHER FRIENDLY FEMALE FEATURE IS THE HUGE AMOUNT OF STORAGE SPACE, A SMALLER HOOD THAT'S EASIER TO SEE OVER, AND A SPLIT HEADREST TO ACCOMMODATE PONYTAILS.

LENGTH-01:13 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-11:00

DOCTORS DON'T WANT TO WAIT UNTIL YOU BREAK A BONE TO DIAGNOSE OSTEOPOROSIS - THE LOSS OF BONE THAT OFTEN GOES WITH AGING. RIGHT NOW THE BEST WAY TO PREDICT A PERSON'S RISK OF FRACTURES IS BY MEASURING BONE DENSITY. BUT SCIENTISTS AT THE OSTEOPOROSIS RESEARCH CENTER AT CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY HOPE TO PREVENT BONE LOSS BEFORE IT STARTS, BY FINDING THE GENES THAT LEAD TO IT. HONG-WEN DENG CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY: "WE CAN SCREEN POPULATION AND IDENTIFY PEOPLE WHEN THEY ARE STILL YOUNG, WHEN THEY ARE HEALTHY BUT WE CAN PREDICT THE FUTURE RISK TO OSTEOPOROSIS LATER IN LIFE. WE CAN SCREEN POPULATION AND IDENTIFY PEOPLE WHEN THEY ARE STILL YOUNG, WHEN THEY ARE HEALTHY BUT WE CAN PREDICT THE FUTURE RISK TO OSTEOPOROSIS LATER IN LIFE." RESEARCHERS LED BY HONG-WEN DENG AND ROBERT RECKER RECRUITED 19 WOMEN AT OR POST MENOPAUSE-- TEN WITH HIGH BONE MASS AND NINE WITH LOW BONE MASS. THEY USED BLOOD SAMPLES TO ANALYZE THEIR D-N-A. ROBERT RECKER, MD CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY: "WE WANTED TO SEE WHICH OF THEIR GENES WAS ACTIVE IN THE LOW BONE MASS GROUP COMPARED TO WHICH OF THEIR GENES WAS ACTIVE IN THE HIGH BONE MASS GROUP." AS THEY REPORTED IN "THE JOURNAL OF BIOLOGICAL CHEMISTRY," THAT LED THEM TO THREE GENES THAT SEEM TO PLAY A ROLE IN THE BODY'S PRODUCTION AND LOSS OF BONE CELLS. "IT NARROWS THE SEARCH FOR GENES IMPORTANT TO BONE MASS QUITE DRASTICALLY, WHEN YOU FIGURE WE STARTED OFF LOOKING FOR RELATIONSHIPS AMONG 30-THOUSAND OR MORE GENES." THE NEXT STEP WILL BE TO STUDY THE GENES TO LOOK FOR DEFECTS OR MUTATIONS THAT LEAD TO BONE LOSS. THAT COULD LEAD TO BETTER PREVENTION AND TREATMENTS FOR OSTEOPOROSIS.

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LENGTH-00:15 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THIS ISN'T ONE YOU HEAR TOO OFTEN... A MICHIGAN WOMAN'S ACCUSED USING A SAMURAI SWORD AS A WEAPON AGAINST TWO MEN. INVESTIGATORS SAY THE WOMAN GOT INTO AN ARGUMENT WITH THE MEN AT A MOBILE HOME PARK, THEN PULLED OUT HER SWORD. OFFICERS SAY SHE SLICED A 12 INCH GASH IN ONE MAN AND A THREE INCH GASH IN ANOTHER. BOTH VICTIMS ARE EXPECTED TO RECOVER.

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

HEALTH WORKERS IN IDAHO ARE TRYING TO FIGURE OUT WHY PEOPLE ARE DYING OF THE HUMAN VERSION OF MAD COW DISEASE. CRUETZFELDT-JAKOB DISEASE - OR C-J-D - IS CLOSELY RELATED TO SEVERAL ANIMAL DISEASES INCLUDING CHRONIC LASTING DISEASE IN ANIMALS LIKE FISH AND DEER AND MAD COW DISEASE IN CATTLE.

IDAHO HEALTH DEPARTMENT STARTED KEEPING TRACK OF C-J-D AS A PRECAUTION BUT WERE SHOCKED WHEN THEY FOUND SEVEN DEADLY CASES SINCE FEBRUAR OF THIS YEAR. AND A LOOK BACK AT RECORDS SHOWED 20 DEATHS IN THE LAST FEW DECADES. C-J-D DESTROYS THE BRAIN. HEALTH EXPERTS SAY THERE IS NO CURE, NO TREATMENT, AND IT IS ALWAYS DEADLY.

LENGTH-01:30 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

IN LOUISVILLE KENTUCKY, DERRICK CLAYTON TOLD A HARROWING STORY TO THE TELEVISION CAMERAS. HE SAID HE ESCAPED HURRICANE KATRINA WITH ONLY THE CLOTHES ON HIS BACK. (SOT - DERRICK CLAYTON / PRETENDED TO BE AN EVACUEE)"I CAN'T SWIM AND I'M TERRIFIED OF WATER." ***THE RED CROSS GAVE CLAYTON A NEW ID. A THREE HUNDRED SIXTY DOLLAR DEBIT CARD AND A WEEK IN A HOTEL. BUT IT TURNS OUT HE HASN'T LIVED IN NEW ORLEANS SINCE 1998. THE CAMERAS WERE BACK WITH HIM WHEN POLICE ARRESTED HIM FOR FRAUD. (SOT - DERRICK CLAYTON / PRETENDED TO BE AN EVACUEE) "I MADE A MISTAKE, MADE A SILLY MISTAKE. NOW I'M PAYING THE CONSEQUENCES FOR IT." DONALD ADAIR SHOWED UP IN NEW JERSEY, SAYING HE LOST EVERYTHING IN MISSISSIPPI. HE'S NOW BEHIND BARS ACCUSED OF BEING A CON ARTIST ... WHO SPENT MOST OF HIS TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS FROM THE RED CROSS ON A NEW CAR. (SOT - SHERIFF LEO MCGUIRE / BERGEN COUNTY) "FORTUNATELY WE CAUGHT HIM BEFORE HE GOT SOME OF THE TENS OF THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS THAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN AFFORDED TO HIM." **THOSE AREN'T THE ONLY CASES, FROM NORTH CAROLINA TO FLORIDA TO ARKANSAS, SCAMMERS ARE PRETENDING TO BE EVACUEES. WHILE THE RED CROSS SAYS FAKE DISASTER CLAIMS ARE EXTREMELY RARE THEY COULDN'T IMMEDIATELY PROVIDE ANY STATISTICS TO PROVE THAT. MEANWHILE KATRINA'S REAL VICTIMS ARE SHOCKED BY STORIES OF SCAM ARTISTS TAKING MONEY MEANT FOR THEM. (SOT - DR TRACY LEGROS / EVACUEE) "I DON'T UNDERSTAND HOW PEOPLE CAN LAY THEIR HEADS DOWN AND SLEEP AT NIGHT KNOWING THEY'VE CHEATED PEOPLE." ** THE RED CROSS HAS A CENTRALIZED COMPUTER SYSTEM THAT HELPS IDENTIFY PEOPLE WHO REGISTER MORE THAN ONCE AND TRY TO DOUBLE DIP. BUT IN THE WAKE OF KATRINA'S DEVASTATION AND WITH SO MANY PEOPLE WITHOUT IDENTIFICATION. THE ORGANIZATION ADMITS IT'S HARD TO TELL THE SCAM ARTISTS FROM THOSE WHO REALLY HAVE LOST EVERYTHING. **UNSCRUPULOUS PEOPLE POSED AS VICTIMS AND TRIED TO CASH IN AFTER 9/11 TOO. THE RED CROSS SAYS THIS KIND OF FRAUD 'ONLY' SEEMS TO HAPPEN AFTER BIG, WELL-PUBLICIZED DISASTERS. (JACK PAPP - PUBLIC AFFAIRS MANAGER, RED CROSS, BATON ROUGE) "WE'RE NOT NAIVE TO THINK THAT THERE ISN'T GOING TO BE SOME FRAUDULENT CLAIMS OUT THERE. BUT WE CAN'T LET THAT GET IN THE WAY OF OUR MISSION OF PROVIDING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO THOSE FOLKS WHO HAVE LOST SO MUCH."

LENGTH-00:52 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

FEDERAL HEALTH OFFICIALS BANNED THE POPULAR DIET SUPPLEMENT EPHEDRA IN 2004 BECAUSE OF THE DRUG'S DANGEROUS HEALTH RISKS. MANY DIET SUPPLEMENTS HAVE NOW BEEN REPLACED BY PRODUCTS TOUTING THEIR DIET PILLS' INGREDIENTS AS "EPHEDRA-FREE." THESE NEW PILLS - WITH ADDITIVES LIKE BITTER ORANGE AND CAFFEINE - ARE SUPPOSEDLY SAFE FOR CONSUMERS. BUT NEW RESEARCH SUGGESTS OTHERWISE. A SMALL STUDY OF ADULTS TAKING EITHER ADVANTRA Z OR XENADRINE EFX (ZEN-A-DREEN) HAS SOME DOCTORS CONCERNED. BOTH DIET PILLS SIGNIFICANTLY INCREASED THE HEART RATE OF VOLUNTEERS. AND

ONE OF THE PILLS INCREASED BLOOD PRESSURE AS WELL. THESE EFFECTS ARE VERY SIMILAR TO THE DANGEROUS PROBLEMS SEEN WITH EPHEDRA - THE BANNED SUPPLEMENT BELIEVED TO CAUSE THE DEATH OF BASEBALL PLAYER STEVE BECHLER IN 2003. HEART CHANGES COULD BECOME SERIOUS SINCE MANY OVERWEIGHT PEOPLE HAVE HEART AND OTHER HEALTH PROBLEMS TO BEGIN WITH. RESEARCHERS CAUTION THAT THE SAFETY AND HEALTH EFFECTS OF EPHEDRA-FREE DIETARY SUPPLEMENTS ARE NOT WELL KNOWN, AND CONSUMERS SHOULD BE VERY CAREFUL ABOUT THEM. ASK YOUR DOCTOR ABOUT ANY SUPPLEMENT YOU MIGHT BE TAKING.

LENGTH-00:37 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

CHARLOTTE COUNTY DEPUTIES INVESTIGATING A HOME INVASION LAST WEEKEND HAVE ARRESTED ONE MAN AND THEIR LOOKING FOR ANOTHER. DEPUTIES ARRESTED 21-YEAR OLD DANIEL ALLEN SPOONAMORE. HE'S NOW BEING HELD AT THE CHARLOTTE COUNTY JAIL. INVESTIGATORS ARE TRYING TO FIND 22 YEAR OLD NATHAN MATTHEW MYERS. AUTHORITIES SAY MEYERS AND SPOONAMORE BROKE INTO A HOUSE IN THE 1700 BLOCK OF BOUGAINVILLEA STREET IN ENGLEWOOD LAST SATURDAY AFTERNOON.DEPUTIES SAY THEY BEAT AND ROBBED TWO MEN INSIDE THE HOUSE AND GOT AWAY WITH A SMALL AMOUNT OF CASH AND A CROSS-BOW. ANYONE WITH INFORMATION ON WHERE NATHAN MYERS MAY BE SHOULD CALL CHARLOTTE COUNTY CRIMESTOPPERS. AT 800-780-TIPS

SEPTEMBER 22, 2005

LENGTH-00:46 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

MELVIN RAIDER LEARNED THE HARD WAY. HOW THE CURRENT EST FOR PROSTATE CANCER CAN BE UNRELIABLE. LIKE MOST MEN IN THEIR 60'S, RADER HAS A YEARLY PSA TEST, THAT MEASURES PROSTATE SPECIFIC ANTIGEN IN THE BLOOD, A CHEMICAL PRODUCED BY THE PROSTATE. A HIGH LEVEL CAN BE A SIGN OF CANCER. SO, WHEN RADER'S PSA LEVEL'S SPIKED, HIS DOCTOR ORDERED A BIOPSY. RADER: I WAS VERY WORRIED, I COULDN'T SLEEP. BUT THE BIOPSY SHOWED THERE WAS NO CANCER. THIS HAPPENS A LOT. 80% OF POSITIVE PSA RESULTS ARE FALSE ALARMS. MCKENZIE: A GROUP OF RESEARCHERS THOUGHT THEY COULD DO BETTER. THEY RELIED ON ARGUABLY THE MOST SENSITIVE AND ACCURATE DETECTION INSTRUMENT EVER DEVELOPED: THE BODY'S OWN IMMUNE SYSTEM. WE NORMALLY THINK OF THE IMMUNE SYSTEM AS IDENTIFYING AND FIGHTING HARMFUL GERMS AND VIRUSES. BUT IS ALSO ORCHESTRATES A MAMMOTH RESPONSE TO CANCER, RELEASING THOUSANDS OF CHEMICALS INTO THE BLOODSTREAM TRYING TO DESTROY THE TUMOR. THIS NEW BLOOD TEST LOOKS FOR 22 OF THESE CHEMICALS THAT SPECIFICALLY FIGHT PROSTATE CANCER. WHEN THEY'RE DETECTED, AS SHOWN ON THIS PANEL, IT SEEMS TO BE MUCH MORE RELIABLE INDICATOR THAN THE PSA TEST, WHICH MEASURE JUST ONE CHEMICAL, THAT MAY OR MAY NOT MEAN CANCER. DR. ARUL CHINNAIYAN/UNIV OF MICHIGAN MEDICAL CENTER: THESE 22 MARKERS ENDED UP BEING THE BEST COMBINATION OF MARKERS THAT ALLOWED US TO MOST EFFECTIVELY DIAGNOSE PROSTATE CANCER. COMPARED TO THE PSA RESULTS, PRELIMINARY FINDING SHOW THE RATE OF FALSE ALARMS WITH THE NEW PROSTATE BLOOD BEST IS ONLY ABOUT 12%. DR. MARK RUBIN/BRIGHAM & WOMEN'S HOSPITAL: WE VERY EXCITED ABOUT THIS TEST. THIS REPRESENTS A NEW PARADIGM, A NEW WAY TO LOOK AT CANCERS. IF THE BLOOD TEST LIVES UP TO ITS POTENTIAL IN

LARGER STUDIES, IT COULD BE AVAILABLE WITHIN A FEW YEARS. AND NOT JUST FOR PROSTATE CANCER, BUT FOR LUNG AND BREAST CANCER AS WELL.

LENGTH-00:44 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

ABOUT 48 MILLION PEOPLE IN THE UNITED STATES TODAY SMOKE CIGARETTES -- 50 PER CENT OF WHOM SAY THEY ARE ONLY "MODERATE" SMOKERS -- USING LESS THAN A PACK A DAY. BUT WHILE DRINKING IN MODERATION MIGHT BE OK, MORE RESEARCH THIS WEEK SHOWS THAT WHEN IT COMES TO SMOKING, THERE IS NO SUCH THING AS A SAFE LEVEL. ANY AMOUNT OF CIGARETTE SMOKING IS DANGEROUS FOR YOUR HEALTH A THIRTY-YEAR STUDY OF OVER 40-THOUSAND SMOKERS AND NON-SMOKERS IN NORWAY FOUND THAT MEN AND WOMEN WHO SMOKE BETWEEN JUST 1 TO 4 CIGARETTES A DAY ARE THREE TIMES MORE LIKELY TO DIE FROM HEART DISEASE COMPARED TO NON-SMOKERS. LIGHT-SMOKING MEN ALSO HAVE A 3 TIMES GREATER RISK OF DYING FROM LUNG CANCER, WHILE WOMEN HAVE A 5 TIMES GREATER RISK. MANY PEOPLE THINK SMOKING FEWER CIGARETTES IS SOMEHOW SAFE. BUT THIS PAPER SHOWS AGAIN THAT THE ONLY WAY TO STAY HEALTHY IS TO NOT SMOKE. EXPERTS HOPE THIS NEWS WILL MOTIVATE LIGHT SMOKERS -- AND ALL SMOKERS -- TO KICK THE HABIT.

SEPTEMBER 23, 2005

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

CHARLOTTE COUNTY DEPUTIES HAVE BUSTED SOME PORT CHARLOTTE BUSINESSES FOR SELLING LIQUOR TO MINORS. INSTEAD OF GETTING A NOTICE TO BE IN COURT, DEPUTIES JUST TOOK THE CLERKS STRAIGHT TO JAIL. THE WORKERS BUSTED WERE ANGELICA MATTA, ANNA PEREZ AND SHELIA CAME. THEY WERE WORKING AT PUBLIX ON TOLEDO BLADE BOULEVARD, CITO ON EL JOBEAN ROAD, AND SUNOCO ON TAMIAMI TRAIL, ALL IN PORT CHARLOTTE.

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

THE ANSWER TO WEIGHT LOSS COULD LIE IN A BOTTLE OF TEQUILA. SCIENTISTS IN MEXICO SAY THE JUICE FROM A BLUE AGAVE PLANT CAN HELP SHED POUNDS AND CUT CHOLESTEROL. BUT.. WHEN THE PLANT'S EXTRACT IS TURNED INTO THE ALCOHOL, ALL THOSE BENEFITS ARE LOST. THE AGAVE CONTAINS "INULIN", WHICH HAS HELPED ANIMALS LOSE WEIGHT...NOW THE STUDY IS UNDERWAY TO TEST IT IN HUMANS. "INULIN" IS ALSO IN ASPARAGUS.

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SEPTEMBER 26, 2005

LENGTH-01:31 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

MORRIS SHULMAN CONSIDERS HIMSELF A LUCKY MAN. THREE YEARS AGO, AT THE AGE OF 73 HE WAS GIVEN A NEW HEART. 150 OVER 85 - A LITTLE HIGH TODAY.' EVERY TIME I SEE A YOUNG GIRL I GET VERY EXCITED. BECAUSE HIS AGE DISQUALIFED HIM FROM GETTING A HEART FROM THE "TRADITIONAL" TRANSPLANT LIST, SCHULMAN RECEIVED WHAT DOCTORS CALL AN "ALTERNATE HEART" – ONE THAT IS DAMAGED SLIGHTLY OR COMES FROM AN OLDER OR DISEASED DONOR. WHAT WE'RE LEARNING IS THAT THOSE HEARTS REALLY DO COME BACK AND THEY'RE GOOD ORGANS. FOR OLDER PATIENTS - INCLUDING SCHULMAN WHO STILL WORKS AT THIS NEW YORK CITY SUPERMARKET - ANY HEART, EVEN AN IMPERFECT ONE - IS BETTER THAN NONE. I WATCHED MY GRANDCHILDREN GROW UP OR GROWING UP, I THINK, WHICH IS THE BEST PART OF THE WHOLE THING. BUT, THE USE OF "ALTERNATE HEARTS" DOES NOT COME WITHOUT RISKS. CRITICS ARGUE PATIENTS WITH LOWER QUALITY HEARTS HAVE A GREATER CHANCE OF INFECTION. AND, STUDIES INDICATE THE SURVIVAL RATE FOR ALTERNATE HEARTS IS LOWER THAN FOR TRADITIONAL ONES.

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

THIS RED LINE SHOWS THE PATH THE CAR THAT KILLED 24 YEAR OLD KRIS REICH TOOK LATE FRIDAY NIGHT. TROOPERS SAY KRIS WAS WALKING FROM A NEARBY RESTAURANT TO HIS HOME AT COLONIAL GRANDS APARTMENTS, WHEN HE ATTEMPTED TO CROSS 53RD AVE WEST. IT WAS THEN, REICH WAS HIT BY A VEHICLE AND THROWN ALMOST 90 FEET. INVESTIGATORS SAY HE DIED INSTANTLY. AUTHORITES SAY THEY ARE LOOKING FOR ANSWERS. SOMEBODY OUT THERE KNOWS WHAT HAPPENED. SOMEBODY KNOW THAT THEY HIT SOMETHING, THEN GOT EITHER SCARED OR THEY HAVE SOME ISSUES DEALING WITH THEIR LICENSE OR SOMETHING THAT THEIR SCARED TO COME FORWARD. STILL, DOCTORS AT UCLA, WHERE THE ALTERNATE HEART PROGRAM BEGAN, SAY THE RISKS ARE WORTH IT. MOST OF THE PATIENTS WHO GET ON THE ALTERNATE LIST GET A HEART IN ABOUT HALF THE TIME THAN PEOPLE ON THE REGULAR LIST. THE WAITING HAS BEEN THE HARDEST PART FOR DAN RAMIREZ AND HIS WIFE, BARBARA. HE RECEIVED HIS FIRST HEART TRANSPLANT AT AGE 42. BUT, 16 YEARS LATER THAT HEART IS GIVING OUT. SO RAMIREZ IS NOW ON THE "ALTERNATE" LIST. AT FIRST I DIDN'T LIKE IT. I UM, JOKINGLY, YOU KNOW, I'M GOING TO PAY THE SAME PRICE FOR AN ALTERNATE HEART. I WANT A NEW HEART, SO YOU KNOW, I WANT THE BIGGEST AND THE BEST MODEL YOU HAVE. I'M PAYING THE SAME PRICE. ANY PROBLEMS THESE LAST FEW MONTHS? (MORRIS) NONE WHATSOEVER. CARDIOLOGISTS SAY THE ALTERNATE HEART PROGRAM MEANS AN INCREASE IN A SCARCE RESOURCE. FOR MORRIS SHULMAN - HIS ALTERNATE HEART MEANS - ANOTHER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY WITH HIS WIFE STELLA. I THINK I MARRIED THE MOST BEAUTIFUL WOMAN IN OCTOBER, THE SCULMAN'S WILL BE MARRIED 53 YEARS.

LENGTH-00:27 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

THREE MEN ARE HURT IN A MANATEE COUNTY NIGHTCLUB SHOOTING.. IT HAPPENED EARLY SUNDAY MORNING OUTSIDE THE COLISEUM.. DEPUTIES SAY A CAR CARRYING FOUR MEN PULLED INTO THE PARKING LOT.. ONE OF THEM GOT A SHOTGUN OUT OF THE TRUNK.. AND FIRED AT THE THREE VICTIMS.. ALL THREE WERE HIT.. ALTHOUGH NONE OF THEM WAS SERIOUSLY HURT..HOSPITAL. DETECTIVES ARE HOPING YOU'VE SEEN THE SHOOTER'S CAR.. IT'S A LATE MODEL, LIGHT-BLUE, 4-DOOR NISSAN.

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

ROBERT CARLO THOUGHT TODAY WOULD BE LIKE ANY OTHER DAY WHEN HE ARRIVED AT WORK THIS MORNING. I HAD A 9 O'CLOCK APPOINTMENT HERE AT THE OFFICE. I WAS RUNNING LATE SO I WAS COMING IN, PEGGY CALLED ME AND RIGHT AWAY I ASSUMED IT WAS BECAUSE I WAS LATE. BUT HE WAS WRONG....SHE SAYS CHRIS IS DEAD THE 24 YEAR OLD ACCOUNTANT, KRIS REICH, WAS KILLED IN A HIT AND RUN ACCIDENT LATE FRIDAY NIGHT.. AND ACCIDENT THAT HAS BROUGHT ALL WORK AT THIS BUSY OFFICE TO A HALT.IT'S WEIRD, ITS WEIRD, ITS HARD TO BELIEVE HE'S EVEN GONE REALLY. BUT AS HE LOOKS AT KRIS EMPTY OFFICE AND SEES PIECES OF PAPER AND MAIL LEFT UNTOUCHED FROM FRIDAY, CARLO SAYS THE NEWS IS SLOWLY SINKING IN. KRIS WAS THE VICTIM OF A HIT AND RUN...WE HAVE SOME EVIDENCE AT THE SCENE THAT WE'RE TRYING TO PROCESS AS WELL, BUT WE DON'T HAVE THE SPECIFIC VEHICLE THAT WE'RE LOOKING FOR BUT INVESTIGATORS SAY THEY DO KNOW THEY ARE SEARCHING FOR ONE WITH DAMAGE TO THE FRONT RIGHT SIDE. THEY SAY THEY HOPE TO FIND THAT VEHICLE BEFORE ITS DRIVER TRYS TO REPAIR IT. WE'RE GETTING A FEW LEADS COMING IN, SOME WISHING TO REMAIN ANONYMOUS

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

THE ARMY PRIVATE WHO BECAME NOTORIOUS BECAUSE OF THE ABU GHRAIB PRISON SCANDAL HAS BEEN CONVICTED. PRIVATE FIRST CLASS LYNNDIE ENGLAND HAS BEEN FOUND GUILTY OF CONSPIRACY, MALTREATING DETAINEES AND COMMITTING AN INDECENT ACT. THE TEXAS, JURY OF FIVE OFFICERS REACHED THE VERDICT IN JUST ABOUT TWO HOURS. SHE FACES UP TO TEN YEARS IN PRISON. THE SENTENCING PHASE OF HER TRIAL BEGINS TOMORROW.

SEPTEMBER 27, 2005

LENGTH-01:17 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

EMYLEA IS MORE THAN A HEALTHY 4 MONTH OLD. SHE IS IN EVERY SENSE OF THE WORD...A MIRACLE BABY. (SOT) THARBY "SHE'S IS THE MOST BEAUTIFUL CHILD I COULD EVER DREAM OF HAVING." BUT IT WAS PREGNANCY THAT BEGAN WITH MYSTERIOUS PAIN.THE DOCTORS COULDN'T FIGURE OUT WHY. NOR COULD THEY EXPLAIN WHY THE BABY LIA WAS CARRYING WAS NOT ENCASED IN THE NORMAL SAC

OF FLUID. NATALE "WHEN WE DID THE MRI..WE PUT 2 AND 2..WE COULDN'T SEE A UTERUS AROUND THE BABY." WHAT THEY DIDN'T KNOW IS THAT THE FERTILIZED EGG. HAD FALLEN INTO THE ABDOMINAL CAVITY. THE PLACENTA THAT FEEDS THE BABY HAD IMPLANTED ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE UTERUS. "HERE IS THE FETUS AND THE BRAIN.AND THIS BABY IS OUTSIDE IN THE MOTHER'S WOMB." THE BABY WAS SQUISHED BENEATH THE MOTHER'S LIVER AND HER BOWELS. HAN "" WHAT WENT THROUGH OUR MINDS WAS...WOW HOW CAN THIS HAPPEN..RIGHT? THARBY "OF COURSE THAT SHOCKED ME AS MUCH AS IT SHOCKED THEM.BECAUSE AS THEY SAID IT WAS A ONE IN 10 MILLION CHANCE OF THIS EVER HAPPENING." THE BABY WAS TAKEN OUT DURING EMERGENCY SURGERY. SHE HAD DISOLATED HIPS AND CLUB FEET. BUT WAS OTHERWISE NORMAL.A HEALTHY PREGNANCY. NO WOMB NEEDED. "LETS PUT A BUN IN YOUR OVEN.)" AND THAT RAISES AN INTRIGUING QUESTION...IF THE PLACENTA CAN GROWING OUTSIDE THE UTERUS. THEN PERHAPS THIS FILM WITH ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER WAS RIGHT... "I'M PREGNANT" PERHAPS MEN..CAN CARRY BABIES TOO? HAN "US THAT UNDER THE APPROPRIATE CONDITIONS ARE CREATED LIKE HORMONES, ANY LIVING PERSON EITHER WOMAN OR MAN COULD CONCEIVE." (NATS) NATALE "I DUNNO, I DUNNO. I DON'T WANT TO GO THERE." BUT WHETHER HUMANS GO THERE IS ONE THING NATURE DID. AND IT PRODUCED EMYLEA..A BABY THAT GREW IN THE WRONG PLACE BUT MIRACULOUSLY TURNED OUT ALRIGHT.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

A MURDER TRIAL IS UNDERWAY IN MANATEE COUNTY. RICHARD FELLE IS CHARGED WITH KILLING A RETIRED DENTAL SURGEON LAST OCTOBER. POLICE SAY 59-YEAR OLD RAY DUH-*MARE*-IS' BODY WAS FOUND BY NEIGHBORS A FEW DAYS AFTER FELLE, AND ANOTHER MAN, ARE ACCUSED OF BEATING HIM TO DEATH..THAT MAN, COREY BYRD, WILL STAND TRIAL NEXT WEEK ON A MURDER CHARGE. IN 1999.. DUHMARE-IS WAGED AN UNSUCCESSFUL MAYORAL CAMPAIGN AGAINST INCUMBENT BILL EVERS.

LENGTH-00:33 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

YOU KNOW THAT "NEW CAR SMELL" YOU LOVE SO MUCH. SCIENTISTS SAY THAT SMELL IS CAUSED BY TOXIC CHEMICALS... SOME OF THEM CANCER-CAUSING. THAT SMELL COMES FROM PLASTIC, GLUE AND CARPETING... AND GIVE OFF TWO CARCINOGENS: BENZENE AND FORMALDEHYDE. THE U-S DOESN'T HAVE ANY STANDARDS RESTRICTING THOSE MATERIALS, BUT RESEARCH SHOWS THAT SOME CARS CONTAIN 128 TIMES THE LEGAL LIMIT. THE HARMFUL GASES ARE WORST ON HOT DAYS.. SO OPENING YOUR WINDOWS OR VENTS WILL HELP CLEAR THE GASES OUT. ALSO, THE SMELL CAN BE HAZARDOUS TO PREGNANT WOMEN AND INFANTS. RESEARCHERS ALSO WARN NOT TO USE STAIN GUARDS OR CLEANING SOLUTIONS IN A NEW CAR. THE GOOD NEWS.. THAT "NEW CAR SMELL" IS GONE AFTER 6 MONTHS AND THE HARMFUL CHEMICALS WEAR OFF.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

FOUR CENTRAL FLORIDA BOYS ARE ACCUSED OF HOLDING DOWN GIRLS, MOLESTING THEM, AND VIDEOTAPING THE WHOLE THING WITH THEIR CELL PHONES. IT

HAPPENED FRIDAY AFTERNOON ON THE SCHOOL BUS. THE BOYS RANGE IN AGE FROM 14 TO 16. LAKE COUNTY PARENTS AND STUDENTS ARE OUTRAGED. "I THINK THAT'S HORRIBLE. I THINK IT'S REALLY MAKING QUESTION WHETHER OR NOT I WANT MY KIDS TAKING THE BUS, I THINK I'LL CONTINUE TO BRING THEM AND PICK THEM UP AND I THINK THAT'S APPALLING AND I THINK SOMETHING SHOULD BE DONE - THAT BUS DRIVER SHOULD BE HELD ACCOUNTABLE." "I DON'T THINK IT WAS A REALLY GOOD CHOICE FOR THEM TO DO. THEY SHOULD BE PUT IN JAIL FOR A WHILE." THE FOUR BOYS HAVE BEEN CHARGED WITH LEWD AND LASCIVIOUS MOLESTATION AND BATTERY. THE STEPFATHER OF ONE OF THE BOYS SAID HIS SON IS A GOOD KID AND THEY WANT TO CLEAR HIS NAME.

LENGTH-00:34 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

TWO SARASOTA MEN HAVE BEEN BARRED FROM PROMOTING TAX CHEATING SCHEMES THAT HAVE COST THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT MORE THAN 18 MILLION DOLLARS. CARL PRATER AND RICHARD CANTWELL HELD SEMINARS, IN WHICH THEY CHARGED AS MUCH AS 20 THOUSAND DOLLARS PER CLIENT, TO TEACH THEM VARIOUS TAX FRAUD SCHEMES LIKE ESTABLISHING COMPANIES TO HIDE INCOME, PREPARING FRIVILOUS TAX RETURNS, AND FILING INVALID JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE I-R-S. PRATER AND CANTWELL ALSO PRESSURED THEIR CLIENTS EMPLOYERS TO STOP WITHHOLDING TAXES FROM THEIR PAYCHECKS. THEY PROMOTED THEIR SCHEMES NATIONWIDE THROUGH A WEBSITE, BOOKS, AND NEWSPAPER ADS.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-5:30

A NEW STUDY SAYS BIG WEIGHT LOSS IN OLDER PEOPLE MIGHT BE A SIGN OF ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE. RESEARCHERS AT CHICAGO'S RUSH UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER STUDIED 820 ELDERLY ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIESTS, NUNS AND BROTHERS. THEY FOUND HEALTHY PEOPLE WHOSE BODY-MASS INDEX FELL THE MOST WERE THE MOST LIKELY TO DEVELOP ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE. THE WEIGHT LOSS HAPPENS SEVERAL YEARS BEFORE MEMORY LOSS HAPPENS. THE RESULTS APPEAR IN THE JOURNAL NEUROLOGY.

LENGTH-00:50 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:30

SCIENTISTS HAVE REPEATEDLY SHOWN THAT A WELL BALANCED DIET IS GOOD FOR YOUR HEALTH. NOW, THEY SAY, WE CAN ADD LUNG CANCER TO THE LIST OF DISEASES THAT FRUITS AND VEGETABLES HELP PROTECT US FROM. A STUDY OF OVER 3,000 LUNG CANCER PATIENTS AND HEALTHY ADULTS FOUND THAT PEOPLE WHO EAT HIGH AMOUNTS VEGETABLES LIKE CHICK PEAS, BROCCOLI, SPINACH AND ALSO SOY PRODUCTS WERE FORTY-SIX PERCENT LESS LIKELY TO HAVE LUNG CANCER. THE PROTECTIVE EFFECTS FROM THESE VEGETABLES ARE THOUGHT TO BE FROM CHEMICALS CALLED "PHYTOESTROGENS" WHICH ACT LIKE THE NATURAL HORMONE ESTROGEN AND SLOW CERTAIN TUMORS FROM GROWING. THIS NEW RESEARCH COINCIDES WITH OTHER RECENT STUDIES THAT HAVE SHOWN VEGETABLE COMPOUNDS CALLED "ISOTHIOCYANATES" TO BLOCK LUNG CANCER GROWTH IN ANIMALS, AND THAT EATING AT LEAST 5 VEGETABLE SERVINGS A DAY IS LINKED WITH A 50 PER CENT REDUCTION IN PANCREATIC CANCER RISK AS WELL.

EXPERTS SUGGEST THAT WHEN YOU'RE PLANNING YOUR NEXT MEAL, HEAD FOR THE PRODUCE SECTION FIRST. FRUITS AND VEGETABLES MAY BE EVEN BETTER FOR US THAN WE ALREADY KNOW.

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

A NORTH PORT MAN IS CHARGED WITH FONDLING HIMSELF IN FRONT OF HIS NEIGHBORS.. NEIGHBORS OF 64-YEAR OLD CARLOS TRIANA CLAIM HE WOULD OPEN OPEN HIS GARAGE DOOR, WEARING ONLY A BATHROBE, THEN TAKE OFF THE ROBE AND FONDLE HIMSELF WHEN THEY LEFT FOR WORK.. HE'S CHARGED WITH TWO COUNTS OF LEWD AND LASCIVIOUS EXHIBITION..

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

THE WOMAN CREDITED WITH CONVINCING ATLANTA'S ALLEGED COURTHOUSE SHOOTER TO GIVE UP.. SAYS SHE SHARED MORE THAN HER FAITH IN GOD WITH HIM.. SHE ALSO SHARED HER ILLEGAL DRUGS. IN HER NEW BOOK.. ASHLEY SMITH SAYS SHE GAINED THE TRUST OF BRIAN NICHOLS BY GIVING HIM METH. SMITH SAYS NICHOLS BOUND HER ON HER BED WITH MASKING TAPE AND AN EXTENSION CORD AND ASKED FOR MARIJUANA. SHE HAD NONE.. BUT GAVE HIM SOME OF HER METH INSTEAD. NICHOLS IS ACCUSED OF SHOOTING FOUR PEOPLE AT THE FULTON COUNTY COURTHOUSE IN MARCH.

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LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S ARE ALSO LOOKING FOR A BANDIT WHO ROBBED A QUALITY INN AND GOT AWAY ON A BMX BIKE. DEPUTIES SAY IT HAPPENED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AT THE MOTEL IN THE 23-HUNDRED BLOCK OF FIRST STREET EAST. THEY SAY THE SUSPECT, A WHITE MAN IN HIS MID-TWENTIES WALKED IN THE LOBBY, POINTED A GUN AT THE CLERK AND DEMANDED MONEY. DEPUTIES SAY HE GOT AWAY WITH ABOUT 90 DOLLARS IN CASH. AGAIN HE FLED ON A SMALL BMX BIKE.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME- SUNRISE

IF YOU'RE GOING TO STEAL GAS YOU MIGHT WANT TO STAY AWAKE...POLICE IN MUNCIE, INDIANA, REPORT THEY FOUND A MAN WHO FELL ASLEEP WHILE SIPHONING GASOLINE INTO A 55-GALLON TANK IN THE BACK OF HIS VAN. THE MANAGER OF THE GAS STATION NOTICED THE WHITE VAN WHEN HE GOT TO WORK YESTERDAY MORNING AND CALLED THE COPS. POLICE SAY THE SUSPECT WAS CATCHING SOME "Z'S" NEXT TO THE 55-GALLON DRUM AND A BATTERY OPERATED PUMP.